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NORMAL REPORTS ON 2 YEARS WORK

BIENNIAL PERIOD OF 1913-1914 SHOWS SCHOOL GROWTH.

PRESENT NEEDS ARE EXPLAINED

President Ira Richardson, in Announcement to Legislature, Asks $170,820 Next Two Years.

In his biennial report to the governor and state legislature, compiled by President Ira Richardson and made public today, the State Normal school of Maryville has done much with its small appropriation during the years of 1913 and 1914 In this report also, President Richardson calls the attention of the state officials to the present and near-future needs of the Normal here, for which appropriations are asked of the present legislature for 1915 and 1916.

In the budget for the next two years, submitted to the legislature, a total appropriation of $170,820 is sought. Of this amount $118,820 would go for salaries.

Where Money Would Go.

The entire appropriation sought is divided as follows:

Salaries	$118,820.00
Current supplies and equipment	14,000.00
Library	2,000.00
Paving deficiency (approximately)	2,000.00
Campus improvement	2,500.00
Greenhouse	2,500.00
Farm equipment (residence, barns, stock utensils and outbuildings)	10,000.00
Direct radiation (engineer's estimate)	14,000.00
Deep well and fittings	5,000.00
Total	$170,820.00

It is not believed all of this amount will be allowed by the state legislature, as $500 of the amount already has been clipped by the junketing committee, of which Senator Anderson Craig of Maryville is chairman. This was less than for any of the other twenty-eight state institutions, however.

The last legislature assembly allowed the Normal school here an appropriation of $118,041.61 for 1913 and 1914, while only $102,523.13 was appropriated for 1911 and 1912. One of the things sought this time is $5,000 for the installation of a deep well water system at the Normal that the school may not have to depend on city water.

Salary Increases Imperative.

In President Richardson's preface to the biennial report, he says:

"The administration of this school is endeavoring to equip it with the kind of ability that other schools are seeking and which many have more ample funds to give in exchange for service than we have. In order to secure this high quality of service and to hold it when secured and to reward the acquisition of additional scholarship and ability, through attendance upon the best institutions or advanced preparation, some means must be provided for the increase of many of our salaries, now materially below those in similar schools of the state.

"Large demands are placed upon our already limited teaching force for a high type of work in summer schools and extension work. The amount estimated for salaries has been figured as close as consistent with the minimum additional strength necessary for efficient work and to give the students of our territory relatively equal opportunities for professional training as given in other similar schools. The school must be a more complete one before we can hope to materially increase our attendance. There are at least five phases of work needed to meet this end, or which must be provided not later than September 1st, 1915. They are inadequately cared for by the "farming out" process at the present. We have been able to make more satisfactory provision for some other phases during the past two years.

Need Better Equipment.

"It is eminently necessary to provide well equipped libraries and laboratories, both indoors and out doors; adequate conditions of heating, lighting, ventilation and sanitation; and to provide for the proper upkeep of the property of the state to the end that the students may be comfortable and properly cared for and that their study may be performed to the best advantage and the deterioration of the property guarded against and that we may get the maximum of value from its use.

"Our progress will be seriously hindered if you should be unable to grant the sums asked for the maintenance of the work of this school. We could easily ask for more funds and greater amounts, and give a good account of their stewardship and use at the end of the next biennial period."

NORMAL HEAD TO TUTORS.

President Ira Richardson Talks on Educational Problems at St. Joseph Meeting Today.

An address on educational problems, the principal one of the meeting, was delivered at noon today at a luncheon of the Commerce club at St. Joseph by President Ira Richardson of the State Normal school. Educational directors and teachers of Buchanan county attended.

In speaking of President Richardson's address, the St. Joseph Gazette today makes these predictions and sends the following bouquets to President Richardson.

"The trend of modern learning, technical and applied science, the value of intensive studies, manual training, and the social aspect of public school life are expected to be subjects touched upon by the speaker. The effect upon the pupil of his educational training, when he has gone forth from the schools to take his place in active affairs of life—especially business life—and suggestions for the betterment of that training, are expected from Prof. Richardson

"The speaker is known for his clearness of diction, compression of ideas, and for his witty epigrams, 'Richardsonisms.' He is said to be brief without approaching flippancy in utterance, while his addresses are complete without the hint of verbosity. A large attendance is expected."

REPAIR JAIL AFTER DELIVERY.

Several Bars in Bastile Replaced Following Recent Escape of Two.

The county jail, Sheriff Edwin Wallace announces, is once more able to care for the most expert jail breakers, after a week or more of weakness due to having four of its big steel bars severed by two of the prisoners who broke jail recently. The bars have been replaced with new ones and spliced so as to withstand the test, Sheriff Wallace says.

The jail throughout also has been thoroughly overhauled and everything put in ship-shape, he announces. Extra precautions, however, are being taken to insure against any further deliveries.

The last escape was by E. F. Steinberg, sentenced a few days ago to five years in the state penitentiary for forgery, and Harry Whalen, who will be sentenced for robbery, tomorrow, by Circuit Judge W. C. Ellison.

MRS. STONE, 75, DIES.

Aged Woman Succumbs at Home of Daughter This Morning.

Mrs. Lavinia E. Stone, aged 75, the wife of Hosea Stone of 115 South Hester street, died at 4:30 o'clock this morning at the home of her son-in-law, James Lacy, five miles east of the city. Mrs. Stone had been in failing health for the past four years. She was taken to the Lacy home Saturday to be cared for. No arrangements have yet been made for the funeral.

Mrs. Stone came with her husband to Maryville from Kansas two years ago. She is survived by her husband and seven children. The children are D. M. Pike and Mrs. James Lacy of Maryville, Mrs. Ella Steffe of Carlin, Ill.; Charles A. Pike of Dallas, Texas; William H. Pike of Canada, George H. Pike of Los Angeles, Cal., and Mrs. Mary E. Rock of Meridan, Kan.

Well Known Horseman Dies.

Charles Jester, horse buyer, who has been purchasing horses in northwest Missouri the last two years, and is well known to horse dealers in this county, died at his home in Wilmington, Del., yesterday, according to a dispatch received by James A. Ford of Maryville. Mr. Jester was considered one of the keenest judges of horses in the country.

Increase in Dairy Cattle

The report of State Dairy Commissioner E. G. Bennett shows that over $250,000 worth of pure bred dairy cattle have been shipped into Missouri during the past 12 months. This is the latest and best proof that Missouri is a great dairy state.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

HOLD 3 ELECTIONS

CITY SCHOOL AND TOWNSHIP CHANGES COME IN SPRING.

MANY FOR COLLECTOR

Three Democrats and 2 Republicans Already Out for Township Office—Five Changes in the City.

Three elections will be held in Maryville and two in Nodaway county, outside of Maryville, in March and April. The first Tuesday, March 30, will be the township elections, general over the county. The second and third, to be held April 6, will be to elect four councilmen and a city collector for Maryville and members of school boards and a county school superintendent.

The most sought after office probably will be that of township collectors in the fifteen townships of Nodaway county. In Polk township alone five men already have announced their candidacy. Three are Democrats and two are Republicans. The Democrats are W. L. Robey, J. H. Thorp and W. A. Burris. The Republicans are Clarence Green and C. L. Gann. Several others are intending to enter the race, it is said.

Pick Candidates in Caucus.

The two political parties will pick the man to finally "run" for the office in the election at caucuses to be held two or three weeks before the election. These caucuses are generally held on a Saturday.

Besides the office of township collector to be filled in each township March 30, there is the township board of three members, assessor, constable and justices of the peace. In most townships there is but one justice, but in Polk township there are three.

The office of collector pays the best for the time required to be given to its duties, as there are but about three months a year, November, December and January, when the collections amount to much.

In the city election in Maryville a successor to the late S. G. Selecman, city collector, who died recently, will be chosen. If Mr. Selecman had lived no city collector would need be elected before the spring of 1916. He was elected for a term of two years last spring. Mrs. Selecman, his wife, was appointed recently by Mayor U. S. Wright to succeed him.

Four Councilmen Go Out.

The four councilmen whose terms expire in April are: M. A. Hahn, First ward; J. D. Ford, Second ward; John H. Gray, Third ward; Louis Gram, Fourth ward.

In the school election in Maryville two members of the school board of six will be elected. Those whose terms expire next spring are L. C. Cook and Dr. Jesse Miller. Each member holds office for three years. In other parts of Nodaway county only one school board member will be elected, except where another has resigned or for any other reason there is a vacancy.

In the school elections over the whole county a vote will be taken on the election of a county school superintendent. Albert H. Cooper, who now holds that office, was merely chosen January 1 to fill the unexpired term of Prof. W. M. Oakerson. It is known that Mr. Cooper will be a candidate for election. It is believed he will have at least two opponents. He is a Democrat.

Collector Gets Nearly $2,000.

The reason for the mad race for the office of township collector, at least in this, Polk township, is that it pays from between $1,500 and $2,000 annually for about three months work. F. S. Grundy has been the collector of Polk township the last two years. On account of his ill health, however, his daughter, Miss Cleo Grundy, transacts the business of the office.

The tax on real and personal property in the township last year was $78,500. Mr. Grundy gets 2½ per cent of that. This would make his salary for the last year $1,962.50, providing all is collected, but it is not. There always are some delinquents. Mr. Grundy gives a security bond of $245,000. He is a Democrat.

HOLD PREPARATORY MEETING.

Special Service and Program at Christian Church Tonight.

An interesting program and especially prepared readings are to be given this evening at the mid-week prayer service of the First Christian church. The meeting will be led by the pastor, the Rev. Robert L. Finch, and is held in preparation of the evangelistic services which will begin February 14.

TOO MANY ATTEND

BAPTIST REVIVAL JAMS RETARD SOUL SAVING, WORKERS DECLARE

CONVERT 97 IN 3 DAYS

With House Overflowing, Twenty-one Confess Conversion Last Night—May Close Campaign Sunday.

THANKS, MR. BURCH.

I am happy tonight as I face this magnificent audience, and as I think of the many who have professed faith during this meeting. I am grateful for the support that has been given us by the Christians of all the churches in this beautiful little city.

"I am especially grateful for the inestimable assistance of the splendid press of this city. They're a glorious bunch of fellows, these good editors and their fine corps of helpers. I often wonder if we appreciate as we should these men who are abreast of the age and who understand the temper of the American people.

"I wonder if we appreciate as we should these men who know that goodness is news and who understand that the reading public appreciates a report of a religious meeting more than they do unseemly doings of vile and vicious men.

"This meeting could not have assumed the great proportions it has had it not been for the splendid editors and the gracious work they have done. God bless them everyone."—Excerpt from the sermon of Evangelist A. E. Burch at the First Baptist church last night.

It is seldom that the wail goes out anywhere, any time, that the attendance at a church service is too large, but such is the unusual declaration of the Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor of the First Baptist church, and Evangelist A. E. Burch, who is conducting revival meetings at the Baptist church. "The house is so packed every night that it is difficult to persuade persons, who really desire to do so, to come forward and confess conversion," said Evangelist Burch this morning. "So many do come forward, too, that it is hard to handle the situation."

Each night this week Evangelist Burch has addressed between 900 and 1,000 persons, ninety-seven of whom have confessed conversion within the three nights. The total number of conversions to date is 134, twenty-one of which were added last night.

Expect to Convert Over 200.

The Baptist church has an estimated seating capacity of between 700 and 750 in the pews, while more than 200 chairs have been placed in the auditorium aisles and at the rear to care for some of the overflow. Between 75 and 90 also are in the chorus nightly. But with all this accommodation many stand throughout the meetings each night, despite the fact that the services usually continue from 7:30 o'clock until between 10:30 and 11 o'clock.

The evangelistic services will continue at least until next Sunday night, Mr. Hale announced this morning. By that time at least 200 conversions are expected.

In the revival conducted at the Baptist church last winter by the Rev. George Hale of Hannibal, a brother to Mr. Hale, pastor here, 109 conversions were secured.

Christian Richest Man.

Evangelist Burch's topic last night was "The Christian's Theoscope." The text was "Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God." Mr. Burch said in part:

"There was a time when I thought this text meant that the pure in heart should see God after death, and I expect there are hundreds of people who have read this same meaning into this text, but I believe it means the pure in heart shall see God right here and now. Perhaps not face to face, but the man with a pure heart lives upon another plane than the man who is a stranger to God.

"The religion of Christ makes men happy and not miserable. It is the most beautiful thing in this world to live for God, and it is a different plane of living, a different atmosphere. We have a different contact with this old world when we have a pure heart The richest of all men is the man who is closest to God, for he sees more in life to live for than any other man.

Pure Heart, Christian's Theoscope.

"Wherever a man turns there is no thought but God. It seems so strange that a man being made in the image of his Father, can forget that he is living in God's country.

"The pure heart is that through which we see God. It is the Christian's theoscope. The reason men and women stalk the streets tonight with no thought of God is because their hearts are clouded with sin. It is because the heart isn't pure that any man fails to see God. A pure heart is the lens by which God is photographed on our souls, through which he speaks to our souls.

"An impure heart is full of iniquity and sin and it keeps us from seeing our Father. If you know that you need God, don't wait for feeling, because the heart is deceitful and desperately wicked. It is an impure heart out of which wickedness and sin comes. Pride comes from an evil heart. A man that knows God and has a pure heart can't be proud, vain and puffed up. It is a different world with God in your heart

Christian 7 Days a Week.

"We must forsake our evil ways. A man can't come to God and bring the old way of sin with him. A man that professes one thing on the Sabbath and lives another six days out of the week is not the man that God will bless.

"No man can take God into his heart and be dishonest with his fellow men. I believe that the man that has harmed another, when he comes to Christ, will go back over the years and make it right. I believe the pure in heart see God in nature.

"The man with a pure heart can see God in the family. I wonder how a man can look into the face of a little baby and not see God. A man with a pure heart can see God in his mother's face. The pure heart is that through which we can see everything good and pure and lovely. It is the Christian's theoscope."

LAUDS FORMER PASTOR HERE.

The Rev. Claude J. Miller Is "Boosted" in Windsor, Colo, Evangelistic Work.

The Rev. Claude J. Miller, pastor of the First Christian church of Maryville before the coming of the Rev Robert L. Finch, present pastor, was paid many laurels last week in a column article in "The Poudre Valley," published at Windsor, Colo., where Mr. Miller now is conducting a revival. Mr. Miller, however, is pastor of a Christian church at Greeley, Colo.

"The Poudre Valley" says in part.

The Rev. Claude J. Miller, pastor evangelist in charge has been preaching some very strong and forceful sermons, the salient features of which will sink deep into the community heart.

Mr. Miller is a rapid-fire talker, deeply in earnest, if you once hear him you can readily understand why he has such a large congregation of workers in the church at Greeley, of which he has been the resident minister for the past few years. He is a hard worker, a deep thinker and a student not only of the Bible but of philosophy, sociology and other weighty subjects.

Marked honor has recently been conferred on Mr Miller in his appointment as a member of the state board of managers for the Christian church and also in being chosen president of the Northern Colorado district.

PROBATE COURT YIELDS $2,665

Judge W. H. Conn Reports State Settlement Fees Went Towards Printing and Salaries.

The annual report of Probate Judge W. H. Conn to the county court, which was filed with County Clerk Fred J. Yeomans today, shows that during 1914 estate settlements and general probate court work of Nodaway county yielded a total receipt for the year of $2,665.75.

This was expended in full as follows: Fees to Judge Conn $1,943.92; Miss Mabel Hunt, for hire, $660; printing of dockets $61 83.

Try to Get Municipal Water.

A special election to vote on a proposition to issue $135,000 in bonds for the purchase by the city of the private owned water plant, will be held in Chillicothe, February 15. It is estimated the plant can be purchased for $77,000. The remainder of the bond issue would be for improvements and extensions

Mrs. Woodworth Improving.

Mrs. Lemuel Woodworth, who has been at St. Francis hospital for the past ten days, recuperating from an operation which she underwent, was taken today to her home on South Fillmore street She is greatly improved in health.

Moves to New Cottage.

Mrs. C. E. Gregory and daughters, Mary and Nora, have moved from the cottage at 319 West Second street to the one at 610 East Fourth street, where they will now be at home.

WE WIN AUSTRIA AND RUSSIA SAY

CZAR REPORTS GERMANS ARE CHECKED ALONG VISTULA.

VIENNA DECLARES ENEMY LOST MUCH

Battle in Northwest Hungary Results in Evacuation by Slavs—Zeppelins in West Now.

Petrograd, Jan. 27.—The Russian official staff reports successes on the battle line, alleging that the German forces were checked on both sides of the Visual river along the Russian-German border.

Vienna, Jan. 27.—An official Austrian communication issued today reports successes in fighting in the passes leading into northwestern Hungary, between Austrian and Russian forces. The statement follows:

"In the valleys of Ung Latoroza and Nagy Szamoz, the enemy has been forced to evacuate some important points after repeated attacks and fruitless counter attacks, which cost the enemy heavy losses."

London, Jan. 27.—A Zeppelin dirigible balloon, belonging to the German forces, was shot down and destroyed and the crew taken prisoners near Libau on the Baltic sea, according to an official announcement here. It first succeeded in dropping several bombs on the Russian port of Libau, but no damage of consequence resulted.

C. G. TRAPP AGAIN TO SPEAK.

Graham Lumberman Will Address Southwest Dealers at Kansas City This Week.

Several lumber dealers of Maryville and Nodaway county will attend the twenty-seventh annual meeting of the Southwest Lumbermen's association, which begins in Kansas City today and will continue three days One of the speakers on the program is C. G. Trapp, lumber dealer of Graham, who has become so famous as a speaker that whenever two or more lumbermen get together in the middle west they call on Trapp.

Trapp's famous sermon is "Retail Credits and Terms of Sale." But he will also give another address on "Association Efficiency" during the Kansas City meeting.

BROTHER AND SISTER TO WED

Charles and Mary Wiederholt, Clyde, Get Marriage Licenses Here Today

Licenses to marry were granted in the office of recorder of deeds this morning to Charles Wiederholt, 23 years old, and Miss Lucy Bliley, 20 years old, and to Thomas Miller, 28 years old, and Miss Mary Wiederholt, 19 years old. All gave their addresses as Clyde.

Charles Wiederholt is a brother to Mary Wiederholt. Charles Wiederholt and Miss Mary Bliley will be married Wednesday, February 3. Mr. Miller and Miss Wiederholt will be married a week later. Both marriages are to be performed at the Catholic monastery at Conception by Father Placidus.

AGAIN IT SNOWS.

Zero Weather, Stiff Breeze and Snow Makes Outdoor Work Unpleasant.

Maryville faced a near-blizzard today, with zero weather prevailing and a stiff nor'easter blowing a fine snow before it. At noon it had snowed about one-half an inch and continued during the afternoon. While the mercury rose a little this morning, the breeze and snow made it seem that the temperature was really falling.

According to J. R. Brink, official forecaster, however, the mercury had fallen to 1 degree below zero at 7 o'clock this morning, but had risen to 2 degrees above zero at noon today. The maximum temperature yesterday was 27 degrees above zero.

Idaho Visitors Arrive.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Rhoades are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Snodgrass and children of Rupert, Idaho, who arrived yesterday for a short visit. Mrs. Snodgrass is a sister of Mrs. Rhoades.

THE WEATHE

Generally fair tonight and Thursday; Much colder tonight; moderate to fresh north winds.

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Announcement.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. HENRY THORP.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. L. ROBEY.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. C. L. GANN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. A. BURRIS.

COMBINED SCHOOL GETS $438.

Four Rural Schools, Following Legal Affirmation of Consolidation Turn Over Funds.

The following balances in possession of the country districts formed by the consolidated district of Graham were recently turned over to the treasurer of the consolidated district:

Hayzlett	$300.52
Lyle	113 15
Stark	17.72
Hickory Grove	8.48
Total	$438.87

These balances have been held by the country districts since the close of the last school year, June 30, 1914, pending a suit in the circuit court to test the legality of the election for consolidation. The courts decided in favor of consolidation, thereby removing the last legal hindrance to progress.

Many Market Live Stock.

Several large shipments of cattle and hogs were made to the St. Joseph market yesterday by Nodaway county stockmen and farmers. Fair prices were received.

Among those shipping from this county to yesterday's market were:

G. M. Brown, Montgomery & Co., M. Reece & Co., I. W. Barber, Twaddell Bros., L. W. Chambers, P. W. Shaffer, J. T. Renfro, Joe Holker, C. Bebout, J. W. Lee, Sheeley & Lowrey, J. B. Nunnelley, M. B. Sherlock, White & Co., James Blagg & Co., Roscoe & Eaton, J. H. Hutchison, T. A. Brasher, B. E. Denham, Herndon & Bishop, H. Luke, W. Merrigan, Horton & Dugan, L. O. Grantham, Art Craven and Will N. Wray.

With Advancing Age

Comes the frequent need of consulting an Optician.

Most eldery people find their eyes changing from year to year.

This is natural, and calls for a more frequent change of lenses than is neccessary in earlier years.

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GEO. M. COHAN'S Famous Play with Music

45 Minutes From Broadway

with

"CORINNE" in her original Role of Mary } BERNARD RIGGS as Kid Burns

Big Cast and Famous Cohan Chorus

MAIL ORDERS RECEIVED NOW---SEATS ON SALE TUESDAY
PRICES—25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00. Box Seats $1.50

WOULD HAVE COUNTY ADJUSTER.

Bill to Stop Petty Litigation Proposed for Counties of Over 25,000.

A unique bill has been introduced in the house of the state legislature providing for a county adjuster in every county having a population of more than 25,000. This would affect Nodaway county. The county adjuster would hear disputes where the amount involved is less than $50. No witnesses would be summoned before the "adjuster" except the two in dispute. They simply would tell him their stories and he would try and settle the controversy.

If even he could not bring them together he would transfer the record of the case to a justice court and let them fight it out.

The idea of the bill is to stop "petty" litigation and long-drawn-out lawsuits over small amounts. The bill leaves it to each county or city to fix the salary of the "adjuster"

To Hold Saturday Market.

The women of the First Methodist church are preparing to hold an all-day market Saturday at the McCrary millinery store, on north Main street. In addition to the sale of delicatessen dainties and home bakery supplies, hot coffee and sandwiches will be served during the day at a cost of 5 cents each

Dr. Chas. A. Bone, osteopath, over Fern theater.

Remus'

Grocery List For

Thursday and Friday

At Money Saving Prices

Red Globe Onions, lb	3c
Parsnips, lb	3c
Home-grown Lettuce, lb	30c
Grape Fruit, 2 for 15c; 4 for	25c
Choice Evaporated Peaches, lb	8c
Frontier Mince Meat, quart jar	23c
Gallon can Logan Berries	63c
Gallon can Black Raspberries	58c
Gallon can Red Raspberries	63c
Gallon can Frontier Yellow Free Peaches	43c
Gallon can Frontier Apricots	46c
Frontier Catsup, bottle	9c
Home-made Horseradish, bottle	9c
Richelieu Mustard, jar	9c
Stuffed Olives, bottle	9c
Canada Woods Syrup, bottle	7c
Frontier Grated Pineapple	9c
Flat can Monsoon Sliced Peaches	12c
Quart can Log Cabin Syrup	36c
Blue Sea Tuna Fish, can	23c
Richelieu Little Kernel Corn	12c
Frontier Sweet Corn	8c
Wisconsin Sugar Corn	7c
Frontier Pumpkin	8c
Frontier Lye Hominy	8c
Frontier No. 2 size can Tomatoes	8c
Frontier June Peas	11c
Sauk City Sweet Wrinkled Peas	8c
Frontier Sauer Kraut	8c
25c K. C. Baking Powder	18c
Frontier Asparagus	19c
Plymouth Rock Beets	11c
Large can Notoma Pork and Beans	9c
Quaker Puffed Rice, pkg	12c
Clover Leaf Pastry Flour pkg	24c
25c Goodyear Pancake Flour	22c
10c roll Toilet Paper	6c
10c cake Snowflake Cocoa Hard Water Toilet Soap	6c
Rock Crystal Table Salt, pkgs	3c
Solid head Cabbage, lb	2c
Shinola Shoe Polish, box	7c
Bottle Household Ammonia	8c
E Z Stove Polish Paste	8c
E Z Stove Polish Liquid	8c
Country Eggs, doz	30c
9-lb sack Yellow Corn Meal	28c

REMUS'
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WILSON'S VIEW OF "BAD ACTOR"

President Talks at Opening of Y. M. C. A. Campaign.

MUST MAKE PROMISES GOOD.

Executive Says He Does Lot of Thinking When Man Failing to Deliver Goods Comes Around and Professes Loyalty Again.

Washington, Jan. 27.—President Wilson, in an address opening the membership campaign of the District of Columbia Young Men's Christian association, praised the men who fulfilled their promises.

"I long ago learned to receive with amiability, I hope, the professions of all sorts and conditions of men," he said, "but after I have heard their professions I wait patiently to see their performance, and I do not pass judgment until that performance. If a man wishes me to consider him loyal, for example, I must really trouble him to show his quality when he is put to the test; and if he cannot show his quality when put to the test, I may not say anything the next time he comes around and professes his loyalty, but I will do a lot of thinking. I wonder within my own head if he really thinks that I am deceived, if he really thinks I am as innocent as I look.

"This is the rigid and stern standard to which we hold each other, whether we realize it or not. You know the slang expression, 'He is a bad actor.' You are not speaking of the stage. You mean he does not do what he says; and the minute you find he does not do what he says, then it is all up so far as your trustfulness and admiration and willing dealings with him are concerned."

SHIP BILL IN SENATE

Upper House Rejects Republican Amendments to Measure.

Washington, Jan. 27.—Republican amendments to the administration shipping bill to prohibit purchase of ships now belonging to the European belligerents were rejected by the senate commerce committee by a strict party vote, and the bill, as revised by the Democratic caucus, was reported again to the senate.

One important amendment would permit such government ships as are American built to engage in the coastwise trade.

Other amendments provide that the shipping corporation shall be organized under the laws of the District of Columbia; that the shipping board to control the enterprise shall consist of the secretaries of the treasury and commerce and three additional members, "two of whom shall be of practical experience in the management and operation of steamships in foreign trade," and that the capital stock of the proposed shipping corporation cannot be increased to more than $20,000,000.

Objects to Food Shipments to Germany.

London, Jan. 27.—The Morning Post published an editorial article on the case of the steamer Wilhelmina, the American vessel which left New York for Germany carrying a cargo of American foodstuffs, consigned to the representative in Germany of an American concern. It says that this is a more plausible and more insidious test case than is the experiment with the steamer Dacia, the cotton laden vessel of changed registry, still at Galveston, and that if it is allowed it will be injurious to the cause of the allies.

Zeppelin Raiding Libau Destroyed.

London, Jan. 27.—It was officially announced in London that the Zeppelin dirigible balloon which dropped bombs on the Russian port of Libau, in the Baltic sea, was destroyed and that the members of its crew were taken prisoners.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Jan. 27—Closing prices: Wheat—May, $1.46½; July, $1.30⅞.
Corn—May, 80½c; July, 81⅝c.
Oats—May, 58⅝c; July, 56½c.
Pork—May, $18.87½; July, $19.15.
Lard—May, $10.82½; July, $10.97½.
Ribs—May, $10.27½; July, $10.47½.
Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, $1.45@1.46⅞; No. 4 yellow corn, 71½@73c; No. 3 white oats, 54½@55½; No. 4 white oats, 54½@55c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,000; slow; native steers, $5.60@9.25; westerns, $5.10@7.50; cows and heifers, $3.25@8; calves, $7.25@10.50. Hogs—Receipts, 49,000; dull, 10@25c lower; bulk, $6.55@6.75; light, $6.55@6.90; heavy, $6.25@6.70; rough, $6.25@6.35; pigs, $5.25@7. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; strong; sheep, $6@6.80; yearlings, $7@8; lambs, $7.40@8.90.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Jan. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; slow but steady; beef steers, $6.20@8.25; cows and heifers, $4.35@8; stockers and feeders, $5.40@8.20; bulls, $5@6.50; calves, $6@9.25. Hogs—Receipts, 18,000; 10c lower; bulk of sales, $6.45@6.55; top, $6.60. Sheep—Receipts, 11,500; 15@25c higher; lambs, $7.85@8.60; wethers, $6@6.50; ewes, $5.50@6.10.

"CASCARETS" RELIEVE SICK, SOUR STOMACH

Move Acids, Gases and Clogged-Up Waste From Stomach, Liver, Bowels—Cure Indigestion.

Get a 10-cent box now.

That awful sourness, belching of acid and foul gases; that pain in the pit of the stomach, the heartburn, nervousness, nausea, bloating after eating, dizziness and sick headache, means a disordered stomach, which can not be regulated until you remove the cause. It isn't your stomach's fault. Your stomach is as good as any.

Try Cascarets; they immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels. Then your stomach trouble is ended. A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box from any drug store will keep your stomach sweet; liver and bowels regular for months. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a good, gentle cleansing, too.

QUITMAN NEWS.

Services at Centenary Sunday were well attended, both morning and evening, considering the cold weather and snow blocked roads

Bro. McGinness filled Rev. DeWitt's appointment in the morning, and the presiding elder preached at night.

Mr. Bush, who has been suffering the past five weeks with a carbuncle on his head, was taken to St. Francis hospital at Maryville Thursday for treatment. He is reported to be no better.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McDonald and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith.

The 12-year-old son of Mr and Mrs. Tom Hart was quite badly hurt last week while coasting at school.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Linville visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Shrewsbury.

W. D. McDonald returned Friday from a business trip to St. Louis.

Mr. Tom McDonald, who has been visiting in this vicinity, returned to his home in Maryville Saturday.

Mrs Robert Barrett and daughter, who have been visiting W. M. Reed and family, returned home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Linville visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sharp will move next week to the W. M. Taylor farm, south of Centenary.

Our First White Sale

Only Three More Days of This Great Money Saving Sale.

Haines
MARYVILLE, MO

The Busy Store With Little Prices

Mrs. John Heaton is on the sick list

Howard Barker spent Saturday night with Charles Walton.

Ray Barker visited Friday with Mr. Earl McDonald.

Sunday guests of Ernest Willhoyte were Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Dalbert Vert and daughter.

Mr. W. M. Walker is on the sick list

Mrs. William Job returned Monday from a visit with her mother, Mrs. Oscar Sallee of Elmo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McDonald and Mr. I. D. Tarpley attended the quarterly conference at Skidmore Monday.

HOPKINS

Miss Anna Fisher visited friends in St. Joseph over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Peck of Oklahoma are here visiting. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wolfers, Sr.

Mr. Gilbert and sister of Guilford are guests of Mrs. Walker this week.

Mr. and Mrs Davis of Minnesota are guests at the H. C. Clutter home this week.

Miss Sara McMaster was a St. Joseph visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Stevens returned from their wedding trip Monday forenoon and are now boarding with Mrs. Josephine Sobbings. They have the congratulations of the entire community.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butler, who have been visiting relatives in Illinois, have returned home

The funeral of George M. Ulmer, who died Saturday morning was held Monday at 1 p. m. at the M. E. church. The funeral was one of the largest ever held in Hopkins. The Ulmer family is one of the oldest and largest in Nodaway county, and have many acquaintances who were in attendance.

Mrs. W. S. Robb entertained the P. E. O. ladies at her home, in East Hopkins, Friday afternoon A dainty lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. J. E. Herbert.

Mrs. E. C. Wolfers and Mrs. R. H. Wolfers of Pickering will entertain at a series of luncheons, followed by dominoes, this week. The first luncheon will be Wednesday.

Dr. Chas. A. Bone, osteopath, over Fern theater.

Quaint Costumes at Dance.

A dance carnival, in which participants wore costumes depicting a nation or business establishment of Maryville, was held in the Woodmen of the World hall last night by Mrs Will Foster. The attendance was large. Many costumes of quaint and unique designs were shown. Refreshments were served.

Dr. Chas. A. Bone, osteopath, over Fern theater.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Our Clothing Values Speak Louder Than Words

The reason is apparent when you examine the slashing bargains below. Prices coupled with visible values have made this statement possible

Our annual inventory takes place February 1. We wish to cut our stock down for this purpose—therefore you get the benefit of these extremely low prices.

STEIN-BLOCH and SOCIETY BRAND SUITS

$25.00 and $22.50 Suits $17.50
$20.00 and $18.50 Suits $14.50
$16.50 and $15.00 Suits $11.00

We have divided our Overcoat Stock into Four Lots

$25.00, $22.50, $20.00 and $18.50 Overcoats, now $15.00
$16.50, $15.00, $13.50 and $12.50 Overcoats, now $10.00
All $10.00 Overcoats, now ..... $ 7.50
All $8.50 and $7.50 Overcoats, now ..... $ 5.00
The Sizes range from 33 to 44. It will be money in your pocket to look OVER THESE EXCEPTIONAL VALUES.

One-Fourth off on Boy's and Children's Suits and Overcoats—Remember the makes, **Ederheimer, Stein & Co.** known the world over for STYLE AND QUALITY.

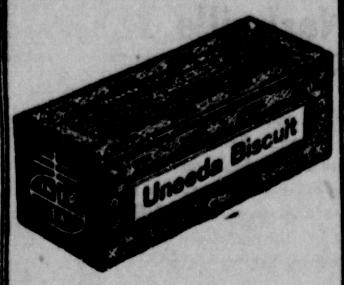
Our Store is overflowing with good bargains in the clothing line—Call and we will prove it. This is the last week, Sale closes Saturday night.

Corwin--Murrin Clothing Company

Our Promises on Paper are Fulfilled in Our Store

Uneeda Biscuit

Nourishment—fine flavor—purity—crispness—wholesomeness. All for 5 cents, in the moisture-proof package.



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A food for every day. Crisp, delicious and strengthening. Fresh baked and fresh delivered. 10 cents.

SNAPAROONS

A delightful new biscuit, with a rich and delicious cocoanut flavor. Crisp and always fresh. 10 cents.

Buy biscuit baked by

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

Always look for that Name

C. R. Green to Lecture Tonight.

An illustrated lecture on community life and upbuilding will be given at the Myrtle Tree church, four miles northwest of Maryville, tonight by the Rev. C. R. Green, pastor of the Harmony Community church. An oyster supper will be served after the lecture.

The entertainment and box supper given Friday evening at the Green school, near Conception, by the pupils and the teacher, Miss Margaret Heffern, resulted in a fund of $21 cleared. This will be applied to the benefit of the school library.

Burning the Candle at Both Ends

Means extravagance. People who burn the candle at both ends always end the same way. If you are one of them, stop it by opening a Savings Account with us and deposit a little from your income regularly. No matter how small your income may be, save something from it and you will thank us later on for suggesting it to you. We have started a lot of people in the right direction. Let us START YOU NOW.

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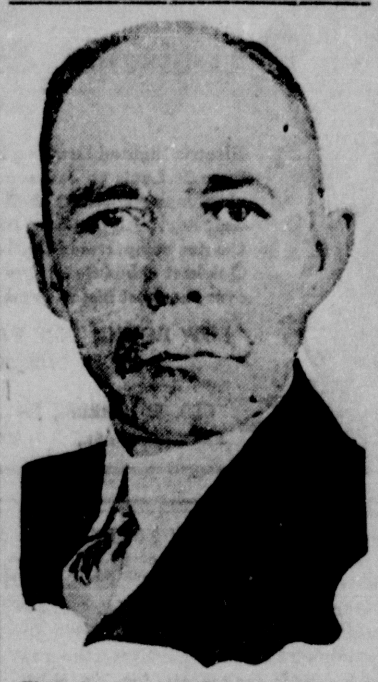

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BRITISH REPLY TO GERMAN CHARGES

Foreign Office Explains Secret Treaty Made With Belgians.

London, Jan. 27.—The official information bureau issued a statement, as follows:

"The foreign office, replying officially to the interview with Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German imperial chancellor, admits the existence of the documents the Germans have said they found in Brussels, but insists these were purely informal in case the British needed to defend Belgian neutrality. The Belgian marginal note upon the record explains that 'the entry of the English into Belgium would only take place after the violation of our neutrality by Germany.'

"If the German chancellor wishes to know why there were conversations on this military subject between British and Belgian officers, he may find the reason in the fact well known to him, namely, that Germany was establishing an elaborate network of strategical railways, deliberately constructed to permit a sudden attack on Belgium. This alone was enough to justify communications between Belgium and other powers on the footing that there would be no violation of Belgian neutrality unless it previously had been violated by another power. On no other footing did Belgium ever have such communications."

Tillman Proposes Four Battleships.

Washington, Jan. 27.—A four-battleship program for the next congress was proposed by Chairman Tillman of the senate naval committee as an amendment to the current naval bill now awaiting passage. Chairman Tillman told several of his colleagues he was absolutely opposed to the building of any large battleships this year. It would be his purpose to urge, he said, only the building of small craft and auxiliaries.

Want New State of Lincoln.

Olympia, Wash., Jan. 27.—A memorial introduced in the state senate, asking congress to create out of the eastern Washington counties and the Panhandle district of Idaho the new state of Lincoln, was reported favorably by unanimous vote by the committee on memorials.

Boy Bank Robber Killed.

Houston, Tex., Jan. 27.—A boy robber entered the Guarantee State bank here, drove the bank officials into the vault at the point of a revolver, locked them up and fled with between $4,000 and $5,000. He was pursued and killed before he had run a dozen blocks.

CHINA DISTURBED BY JAPANESE DEMANDS

Peking, Jan. 27.—Demands which Japan has made upon China following the Japanese occupation of Kiauchau have become known in Peking and their extent is disquieting to Chinese officials.

These demands, twenty one in number, include, first, that China turn over to Japan all existing German and Austrian concessions; second, that China pledge itself not to give concessions in the future to any country except Japan; third, permission to build a special territorial railroad, and, fourth, mining privileges in Shantung and Fukien provinces in Manchuria, in eastern Mongolia and in the Yangtse valley.

It is felt in Peking that if these demands were granted the result would be tantamount to turning over to Japan all the region above named as spheres of influence, to the detriment of the treaty rights of other nations. The Peking government has not replied to the Japanese note.

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

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Royal Neighbors to Meet.

The regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors lodge will be held tomorrow afternoon.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Culver of Barnard gave a dinner Sunday noon in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Ibe Rasco and daughter, Cletta

Ladies' Aid to Meet.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Christian church will hold a general meeting at the church tomorrow afternoon. The election of officers and other important business will come before the members.

Dinner Guests.

Judge and Mrs. I. K. Alderman will entertain with a dinner party tonight at which plates will be laid for Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanna and their house guest, Mrs. J. H. Holland of Riverside, Cal. Mrs. Holland has been spending the past week in Maryville visiting, and will leave tomorrow for Colorado Springs, Col., to visit friends before returning to her home.

Reception for Visitors.

The Christian Women's Board of Missions and the Mission Circle will give a reception Saturday afternoon in the parlors of the First Christian church in honor of Mrs. Ross of Canton, field worker in missions, who is to make an address at the First Christian church Sunday morning, and Mrs. O. W. Lawrence, state secretary of the C. W. B. M. Both visitors will arrive in the city Thursday night.

Comfort Tacking Party.

A comfort tacking party was given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Chester Ferguson at her home, northwest of Wilcox The guests spent the entire day at the Ferguson home, and at noon a fine dinner was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. B. K. Ferguson and Mrs. Fred Nicholas. The guests were Mrs. Al McCord, Mrs. J. T. Patterson, Mrs. Russell Logan, Mrs. Ed Sexson, Mrs. Harvey Hornbuckle, Mrs. B. K Ferguson and Mrs. Fred Nicholas.

Holbrooks Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Holbrook were the hosts of a dinner party given yesterday noon at their home, on South Mulberry street, arranged in honor of their house guest, Mrs. Minnie Whittam of St. Joseph. Plates were laid for Mrs. Whittam, Mrs. J. H. Holland of Riverside, Cal.; Mrs. John Airy, Mrs. J. C. Dutton and Mr. and Mrs. Holbrook. Mrs. Holland is a house guest of Mrs. O. C. Hanna. She is a former Maryville resident and is enjoying a few weeks spent with old friends here.

Men Serve Banquet.

An unexpected courtesy on the part of the men of Rosanna chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, was extended to the entire chapter last night when they served a banquet at the close of the regular meeting hour. The banquet was served in the dining room of the Masonic hall. The event was not announced until the close of the business meeting and the invitation to dine was given as a surprise. About sixty-five were entertained. During the business session two new members were initiated. They were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith.

Guild Meets.

The Westminster Guild enjoyed one of the most pleasant evenings of the winter last night at the manse, with Mrs. S D. Harkness and Miss Elizabeth Ashford hostesses. Three new members were received into the Guild. They were Mrs. W. H. Allen, Miss Helen Todd and Miss Helen Leffler. One visitor, Miss Carstens, was present. The study of the evening concluded "In Red Man's Land," and the new topic taken up will be "An Oriental Land of the Free." The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Walter Hanson, on East Sixth street.

Former Maryville Girl Lauded.

A pleasurable bit of gossip from the state capital circles regards Miss Dorothy Bean of Creston, Ia., which will please her friends in this city. Miss Bean is employed as private secretary to Senator Anderson Craig, and in an official and social way has been given many recognitions both for her capability and charming ways. Miss Bean is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bean, and the family made Maryville its home for a number of years. Miss Bean was employed as secretary and stenographer to the Normal president several years. Since her arrival at Jefferson City she has attracted more favorable attention than any of the young women employes in the senate.

Metcalf-Smith.

The marriage of Miss Ruth Metcalf to Mr. Lee Smith of Maitland took place at high noon today at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. Metcalf of Maitland. The words of the ceremony were pronounced by the Rev. A. R. Bemis, pastor of the Christian church. Among the out-of-town relatives attending were Mrs. Edward Vannice and Miss Anna Metcalf of Klamath, Ore., and Mr. and Mrs. Roy DeBord, living near Maryville. Mr. Smith and his bride left on the afternoon train for St. Louis, where they will spend a couple of weeks visiting, after which they will be at home at Maitland. Mr. Smith is the junior member of the McNaul-Lee Hardware company at that place.

Club Begins New Study.

The study of the "Merry Wives of Windsor" was begun yesterday afternoon by the Shakespeare department of the Twentieth Century club at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. Gallatin Craig. A paper giving the delineation of the first and second acts, prepared by Miss Grace Langan, was read by Mrs Bruce Montgomery. The reading on "Ford and Page," prepared by Mrs. Berney Harris, who was unable to be present, was read by Mrs. George Eaton. Mrs. Lewis White gave the talk on current events and Mrs. Montgomery conducted the word drill. Three visitors were present at the meeting. They were Miss Virginia Finley of Kentucky, a house guest of Mrs. Craig, Mrs. Henry A. Foster and Miss Mary Frances Ford.

MOTHER! IF CHILD'S TONGUE IS COATED

If Cross, Feverish, Constipated, Bilious, Stomach Sour, Give "California Syrup of Figs."

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is ofttimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup company."

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—15,000. Quarantined. Market 35@50c lower. Estimate tomorrow, 21,000.

Hogs—55,000. Market 75c lower; top, $6.30. Estimate tomorrow, 38,000.

Sheep—2,000. Market 10@20c lower.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—6,000. Market strong.

Hogs—11,000. Market steady to weak; top, $6.70.

Sheep—9,000. Market 10@20c lower.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,200. Market strong.

Hogs—8,500. Market steady to weak; top, $6.60.

Sheep—6,500. Market 10@20c lower.

GERMANS CAPTURE BRITISH POSITIONS

Berlin, Jan. 27.—The German war office says:

"In the western theater the enemy, following his custom, placed Middelkerke and Westende (in Belgium) under fire. A large number of the inhabitants were killed or injured by this fire, including the burgomaster of Middelkerke.

"Our losses were small. Our troops attacked the positions of the English on both sides of the La Bassee canal. While the attack to the north of the canal, between Givenchy and the canal, did not lead to the capture of any English positions, on account of a strong flanking movement, an attack of the troops from Baden, to the south of the canal, met with complete success. In this region the English positions, extending over a width of 1,200 yards, were taken by storm and two strong points of support were captured. Three officers and 110 men were taken prisoners and one cannon and three machine guns were captured.

"The English attempted in vain to recapture the positions which had been immediately employed for our own purposes, but they were beaten back with heavy losses. Our losses were comparatively small.

"Battles successful for our troops took place on the heights of Craonne to the southeast of Laon. All the attacks of the French in the southern part of the Argonne were repelled. More than fifty prisoners fell into our hands.

"In the eastern theater the Russians attacked positions of our cavalry to the northeast of Gumbinnen (in East Prussia) without success. Fierce artillery deuls took place on the remainder of the front in East Prussia."

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McLarnon-Gaa.

Miss Louise McLarnon of Omaha and Mr. Frank Gaa of Conception were married at 9 o'clock yesterday morning at Omaha, Neb. The marriage service was read by the Rev. Father James Stenson, priest of St. Philomena's church, where the ceremony took place. The bride wore a handsome traveling suit of olive chiffon broadcloth with hat and gloves corresponding, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. She was attended by a sister of the groom, Miss Emma Gaa, as maid of honor. Miss Gaa wore a navy blue cloth suit with hat to match and a corsage bouquet of white sweet peas. Mr. Gaa was attended by Mr. Orlo McLarnon as best man. At 6 o'clock a wedding dinner, at which the bridal party and a large number of relatives and friends were entertained, was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Pardun of Omaha. Mr. Gaa and his bride came to Conception last night and will be at home to their friends at the Gaa brothers' farm, near Conception

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

MUST GET AUTO TAGS SOON.

By February 1, Nodaway Motor Cars Must Have 1915 Licenses Sheriff Declares

Those automobile owners of Nodaway county, who do not have 1915 auto mobile licenses, are in danger of arrest by Sheriff Edwin Wallace. That county authority has issued the edict and there you are. Some argue that it is only necessary that you send your application for the new license by that date, but Sheriff Wallace argues otherwise.

So the 1,500 automobile owners of Nodaway county and the 300 of Maryville should take heed and see that the new 1915 tags and numbers are at the rear of their buzz wagons by next Monday. Otherwise consider yourself under arrest. The motor cyclist is in the same boat.

The report comes from Jefferson City that an average of 1,000 applications for tags are received there each day. Some erroneously believe war tax stamp of 10 cents is necessary, but it is ruled that such is not the case.

KESSLERS

5, 10 and 25c Store

SPECIALS FOR REST OF WEEK NOW ON SALE

Illinois Noiseless Matches, 2 boxes for 5c
Turkish Towels, 22x44 inches, 25c values, sale price, each 10c
Huck Towels, 22x44 inches, 25c values, sale price, each 10c
(These Towels are extra good values and the supply will not last long.)
Flannelette Flouncings, regular 25c yard, now per yard .. 20c
Men's Work Shirts, in colors, all sizes, reduced to, each .. 15c
(Another real value)

All Winter Goods Now on Sale At Reduced Prices

10c Can Sunbright Cleanser, our price 5c
It is good for the hands, bathtubs, marble, kettles, tinware, etc.
10c values in Fnamelware, such as Lipped Sauce Pans Stew Kettles, Dairy Pans, etc, now, each 5c
In Earthenware you will find some good values, such as 10c Crocks, Butter Jars etc, reduced to, each 5c
Some 20c values, 2 gal. Crocks, 2 gal. Jars, etc. now, each 15c

SPECIAL SATURDAY ONLY

Ewer and Basin, regularly 25c each, set complete 25c
SEE SOUTH WINDOW

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For Real Bargains

MISSOURI WOMAN IS WELL AND HAPPY AFTER HEALTH MIRACLE

She Leads Active Life in Country After Recovery by Using Remarkable Remedy.

Mrs. J. B. Trullinger of Norborne, Mo., was ill for months with derangements of the digestive tract. She suffered terrible pain and was seldom able to be about.

She took Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy with results that most happily surprised her and astonished her physician.

Mrs. Trullinger lives out on rural route 1, out of Norborne, and leads an active country life. She writes:

"I take great pleasure in telling you what Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy has done for me. When I wrote you last March I was hardly able to be up at all. I endured awful suffering. I would get so bad I would become unconscious, and the nauseating spells I had would leave me as weak as if I had a long spell of sickness nearly as bad as typhoid.

"Words cannot express the appreciation I have for your medicine. I am now able to work all day long. All this summer and fall I have felt just fine, gaining in strength and flesh."

Just such happy stories are told by thousands who write after taking Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy. The first dose convinces.

We want all people who have chronic stomach trouble or constipation, no matter of how long standing, to try one dose of Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy—one dose will convince you. This is the medicine so many of our people have been taking with surprising results. The most thorough system cleanser ever sold. Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy is now sold here by Pearson's Pharmacy and druggists everywhere.

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Famous Author, says:

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Rex Beach has lived his books. In personality he is much like his own heroes—a red-blooded, clean-cut, strong young fellow, fond of the healthy ways of out-door life. His tobacco is Tuxedo—a mild yet rich tobacco that is healthful, wholesome, refreshing and beneficial in every way.

You get some Tuxedo today and you'll find your experience with it tallies with Rex Beach's.

Tuxedo

The Perfect Tobacco for Pipe and Cigarette

Never was a smoke as good as Tuxedo—the pipe and cigarette tobacco *without* a sting, and with the most pleasant aroma. It's friendly to every man's taste because it's produced by the famous *original* "Tuxedo Process" that *first* put the sensitive tongue folks on speaking terms with a pipe.

No imitation can be as good as Tuxedo—because no imitator can use the famous, exclusive, original Tuxedo "process."

YOU CAN BUY TUXEDO EVERYWHERE

Convenient, glassine wrapped, moisture-proof pouch . . . **5c**

Famous Green Tin with gold lettering, curved to fit pocket **10c**

In Tin Humidors 40c and 80c *In Glass Humidors 50c and 90c*

THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY

Real Estate Transfers.

The following warranty deeds were filed in the ofifce of recorder of deeds for week ending January 23:

William J. Skidmore to David White, dated Jan. 19, 1915, covering Lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, block 2, in tenth addition to Skidmore. $400.

John M. Busby to Timothy G. Butts, et al, dated Jan. 16, 1915, covering N½ SW and SE NW sec 22, twp 62, rng 33, for $7,000.

J. A. L. Gram to Louis Gram, dated Jan. 23, 1915, covering lot 1, block 5, Charles' addition to Maryville, for $100.

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Gladys M. Short to Cora E. Hagey et al., dated Jan. 4, 1915, covering undivided 7-48 interest in N ½ SW and SW NE sec 26, twp 65, rng 38, for $1,662.50.

Ethel Booher et al. to Exema Munger et al., dated Sept. 28, 1914, covering undivided 20-48 interest in SW NE and E ½ SW sec 26, twp 65, rng 38, for $4,000.

Henrietta G. Parkinson to Ulysses S. G. Ingram, dated Sept. 22, 1914, covering NE SW sec 6, twp 66, rng 35, for $2,240.

William Clark to William B. Taylor, dated May 28, 1912, covering part NW NE sec 11, twp 62, rng 38, for $1.

Charles F. Moffitt to Sam Conlin, Jr., dated Jan. 14, 1915, covering 1-5 interest in N ½ NW and part NW SE and part SE NW sec 10, twp 62, rng 35, for $1,575

Walter A. Ham to A. Lloyd Strader, dated Jan. 13, 1915, covering S ½ lots 1, 2 and 3, block 23, Barnard, for $850.

James H. McClanahan et al. to Nellie R. Hailey, dated Jan. 16, 1915, covering S ½ SW SE and W ½ NW SW SE and part NW SE sec 3, twp 62, rng 34, for $1,820.

Alma Hailey at Jas. H. McClanahan et al., dated Jan. 16, 1915, covering lots 5 and 6, block 5, Guilford, for $1,250.

City of Maryville to Perry Chappell, dated Jan. 12, 1915, covering S ¼ lot 4, block 19, First addition to Miriam cemetery, for $6.25.

Charles H. Bonar to Al Kysar, dated March 6, 1912, covering part W ½ SW NW sec 1 and S ½ NE SE NE sec 2, twp 66, rng 35, for $1,350.

Is Missouri's Bookkeeper.

William L. Nelson of the State Board of Agriculture is "Missouri's crop bookkeeper." For six years he has handled the crop reports which are recognized at Washington as among the best of any state having no statistical law.

As Missouri has no agricultural statistical law, it is impossible to secure absolute acreages and minor crop data. Kansas, Colorado, Iowa and several other states have practical laws on gathering agricultural facts by township assessors that have proven of immeasurable worth to the farming interests and have drawn investors into those states. In this special regard Mr. Nelson regretfully admits that Missouri is behind her neighbors.

Returns to St. Joseph

Miss Marie Perkins of St. Joseph, who has been visiting at the home of her uncle, John Behm, and family, of West Fourth street, has returned to her home.

BRITISH CRUISER LION IS DISABLED

Admiralty Admits Warship Badly Damaged In Sea Fight.

HAS TO BE TOWED INTO PORT

Torpedo Boat Meteor Also Hauled Home After Suffering From Attacks of Kaiser's Fleet—More Survivors of Bluecher Landed.

WAR BULLETINS

The English foreign office admits a secret treaty with Belgium, but says troops were to be landed only when the neutrality of Belgium was violated by Germany.

The Germans begin a vigorous offensive in the west, making fierce attacks on the allies. Berlin asserts these attacks were successful, while London and Paris declare them repulsed.

The armies are marking time in the eastern war zone, with the opposing forces preparing for an extending movement.

The British admiralty reports the British battle cruiser Lion and torpedo boat destroyer Meteor disabled in the North sea battle and towed into port.

Germany has confiscated all corn, wheat and flour in the empire to conserve the food supply.

London, Jan. 27.—The British battle cruiser Lion and the British torpedo boat destroyer Meteor were disabled in Sunday's naval battle in the North sea and were towed into port, it was officially announced. All the British ships engaged in the combat, the official statement says, returned safely to port.

The British admiralty made the following announcement:

"All the British ships and torpedo boat destroyers engaged in Sunday's action have returned in safety to port.

"The Lion, which had some of its forward compartments flooded by shells below the water line, was taken in tow by the cruiser Indomitable. The destroyer Meteor, which also was disabled, was taken in tow by the destroyer Liberty. Both vessels were guarded by strong escorts of destroyers. Repairs to both vessels can be speedily made.

"The total number of casualties among the officers and men reported to the admiralty is: On the Lion, seventeen men wounded; on the Tiger, one officer and nine men killed and three officers and eight men wounded, on the Meteor, four men killed and one man wounded.

"It is not believed that any other casualties occurred, but if so they will be immediately published.

"As soon as Vice Admiral Beatty's report is received a fuller account will be given."

Two hundred additional survivors of the German cruiser Bluecher, sunk in the North sea by British warships, have been landed. They include a few petty officers.

ATTACK ALLIES WITH FURY

Teutons Celebrate Kaiser's Birthday by Hammering Lines of Enemy.

London, Jan. 27.—The Germans, who are reported to be making a big military venture to celebrate the emperor's birthday today, have begun a somewhat more determined effort than usual against the French and British lines in Flanders and northern France.

In Poland there has been a slackening in the fighting on both sides for the moment. The Russians appear to be concentrating themselves on the offensive north of the lower Vistula, while the Austro-Germans are busy making preparations to meet the Russian advance through the passes of the Carpathians and in southern Buqowina.

LIVE STOCK BAN RESTORED

Embargo on Shipments From Chicago Yards Is Again On.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—An embargo against the shipment of cattle, sheep or hogs from the Union Stock Yards was restored by the United States bureau of animal industry in an order to Dr. U. G. Houck, chief veterinarian-inspector of the bureau. No animals will be shipped until all pens and alleys have been disinfected.

The order was the result of a suspicion by the government that new cases of foot and mouth disease found in cattle shipped here had originated in the yards.

John D. Gave Away Quarter of Billion.

New York, Jan. 27.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., told the United States commission on industrial relations, which is investigating the great philanthropic foundations and the cause of industrial unrest, he felt justified in placing the amount of money his father had devoted to philanthropy at a "quarter of a billion dollars."

Three Earth Shocks Felt at Panama

Panama, Jan. 27.—Three short, sharp earthquakes have shaken the isthmus of Panama in the last three days. None of the shocks did any damage, though the inhabitants were considerably frightened. Reports from points along the canal show that the shocks caused no ill effects.

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Electric Lighted Drawing Room all steel sleeping cars through from St. Louis to Jacksonville. Leaves St. Louis daily beginning January 4th at 2:15 pm, arriving Jacksonville 7:30 pm, next day. All meals en route in dining cars, service a la carte. Carries compartment and observation cars beyond Evansville. Quickest schedule of any train St. Louis to Jacksonville and over the most historic and interesting route.

LOW ROUND TRIP FARES TO ALL RESORTS IN THE SOUTHEAST

GEO. E. HERRING, Div. Pass'r. Agt.
312 North 8th St., ST. LOUIS, MO.

MAPLE LAWN NOTES.

Olive Linebaugh was the Sunday guest of Thelma Beam.

Harry Vail, William Watson and Roland Whitnack each have been the unfortunate losers of a horse the past week This makes six for Mr. Whitnack.

Bryan Richey is working for James Milbank at present.

Hermann and Ray Vail spent Saturday night and Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Swaney.

John Sloan and family have moved to Clearmont. They recently lived on the James Burch farm, north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roach are the parents of a new son, to whom they gave the name Divan.

Mrs. E. I Mood of Shambaugh, Ia., spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Swaney.

James Andrews and family and Albert Walters took Sunday dinner at the Watson home.

Mrs. Harry Vail and daughters spent Sunday afternoon at the Roach home.

James Burch took dinner Monday with his sister, Mrs. William Watson

BARNARD NEWS.

Mrs. Leroy Neff of Ridgeway is visiting relatives in Barnard this week.

Miss Winnifred Middleton of Rosendale visited the last of the week with Miss Cletta Rasco.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Shell of Clarksdale are moving to Barnard this week.

The Methodist church is holding a series of revival meetings.

Cleo Pollard is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Campbell and sons of California arrived in Barnard Sunday night, summoned by the death of Mr. Campbell's mother, Mrs. Warren Campbell

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pollard of Calhoun are visiting relatives in Barnard.

Mr. Thornton, living in the west, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Sam Hagan.

Miss Cletta Rasco spent Saturday visiting in Bolckow.

Bryce Melvine of Hopkins returned to Barnard Monday morning to resume work in the public schools.

Misses Fannie and Helen Merrill are visiting relatives in King City.

Donald Vanmeter spent the latter part of the week with his sister, Mrs. Walter Ham.

Mrs. Joseph Holiday attended the funeral of John Middleton of Maryville Sunday

The pupils of the Barnard high school are preparing to present a play, "Sophomore," some time near the first of February.

Mrs. Roy Wilson and daughter, Florine, visited last week in Bolckow with Mrs. Wilson's mother, Mrs. Pittsenberger.

To Visit in Chicago.

Mrs. Susan Walker will leave the last of the week for Chicago to make an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Severin L. Glass.

Fresh Cut Roses

Carnations, Narcissus, Violets, Lily of the Valley, Hyacinths, Sweet Peas, Lilies, etc. Quality at reasonable prices is one of our best advertisements.

The Engelmann Greenhouses

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Classified ads running three days or more, one-half cent per word for each insertion minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—Residence and 1 acre of ground, well improved, water and lights, on Prather avenue. See H. P. Childress, 321 W Seventh street. 26-28

FOR RENT—House on South Mulberry, known as Thorp property, modern except heat. Inquire T. L. Wilderman. 25-30

FOR RENT—4 unfurnished rooms, light and water. Mrs. Lafe Dawson, 216 West Second. 26-28

FOR RENT—7-room house, all modern except furnace, close in. Inquire at 314 West Seventh. 27-29

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Kindling wood. Route 3; phone 9X. Frank Martin. 5-2

FOR SALE—S. C. Buff Orpington and Rhode Island Red cockerels. Mrs. Charles Tabler, Farmers phone 6-11. 25-27

WOOD FOR SALE—All dry ash, hickory and oak, $3.00 and $4.00 for full guaranteed cord. Other wood $1.00 load. Will deliver. Native lumber for sale. Saunders Bros., Hanamo phone 3698. 14-tf

FOR SALE—Residence lots, south and east front. Farmers phone 45-0-11. 26-tf

FOR SALE—Car of Swift's digester tankage. At Burlington tracks. Prices right. See us before you buy. Childress & Co. 2-tf

FOR SALE—Lumber and cheap wood. Saunders Bros. 11-tf

FOR SALE—200 acres of land, 9 miles southwest of Maryville and 6 miles northeast of Skidmore, on main road. Fair improvements. Must be sold by Feb. 1. Price, $19,000. Henry Rowlett, Skidmore, Mo. 18-28

Miscellaneous.

FEED ALFALMO to your stock. We have a fresh car. $24 a ton, $1.25 cwt. Yowell & Son. 26-28

FOR TRADE—66x132 lot on paved street for good milk cow. See A. S. Robey. 27-29

MRS. MARY GREGORY has moved her dressmaking rooms from 319 West Second street to 610 East Fourth. Telephone 3290. 27-29

MULES—We have a few span of heavy bone, well matched 3-year-old mules to sell. Can give time on purchase price if desired. G. W. Lucas. 6-tf

WANTED—Men to learn the barber trade. Positively the best trade of the kind. Can prepare you in short term. Wages while learning. Open to everyone. Apply by mail. Mohler Barber College, Kansas City, Mo. 23-29

SANITARY ENGINEERING requires experienced mechanics and good materials. Our appliances and "knowing how" insures satisfaction. Standard Plumbing Co.

Mrs. A. C. Holt of Carpenter, Wyo., is visiting in the city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kemp.

CHARLES E. STILWELL,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.
Office over Farmers Trust Company, Maryville, Mo.

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NORMAL REPORTS ON 2 YEARS WORK

BIENNIAL PERIOD OF 1913-1914 SHOWS SCHOOL GROWTH.

PRESENT NEEDS ARE EXPLAINED

President Ira Richardson, in Announcement to Legislature, Asks $170,820 Next Two Years.

In his biennial report to the governor and state legislature, compiled by President Ira Richardson and made public today, the State Normal school of Maryville has done much with its small appropriation during the years of 1913 and 1914 In this report also, President Richardson calls the attention of the state officials to the present and near-future needs of the Normal here, for which appropriations are asked of the present legislature for 1915 and 1916.

In the budget for the next two years, submitted to the legislature, a total appropriation of $170,820 is sought. Of this amount $118,820 would go for salaries.

Where Money Would Go.

The entire appropriation sought is divided as follows:

Salaries	$118,820.00
Current supplies and equipment	14,000.00
Library	2,000.00
Paving deficiency (approximately)	2,000.00
Campus improvement	2,500.00
Greenhouse	2,500.00
Farm equipment (residence, barns, stock utensils and outbuildings)	10,000.00
Direct radiation (engineer's estimate)	14,000.00
Deep well and fittings	5,000.00
Total	$170,820.00

It is not believed all of this amount will be allowed by the state legislature, as $500 of the amount already has been clipped by the junketing committee, of which Senator Anderson Craig of Maryville is chairman. This was less than for any of the other twenty-eight state institutions, however.

The last legislature assembly allowed the Normal school here an appropriation of $118,041.61 for 1913 and 1914, while only $102,523.13 was appropriated for 1911 and 1912. One of the things sought this time is $5,000 for the installation of a deep well water system at the Normal that the school may not have to depend on city water.

Salary Increases Imperative.

In President Richardson's preface to the biennial report, he says:

"The administration of this school is endeavoring to equip it with the kind of ability that other schools are seeking and which many have more ample funds to give in exchange for service than we have. In order to secure this high quality of service and to hold it when secured and to reward the acquisition of additional scholarship and ability, through attendance upon the best institutions or advanced preparation, some means must be provided for the increase of many of our salaries, now materially below those in similar schools of the state.

"Large demands are placed upon our already limited teaching force for a high type of work in summer schools and extension work. The amount estimated for salaries has been figured as close as consistent with the minimum additional strength necessary for efficient work and to give the students of our territory relatively equal opportunities for professional training as given in other similar schools. The school must be a more complete one before we can hope to materially increase our attendance. There are at least five phases of work needed to meet this end, or which must be provided not later than September 1st, 1915. They are inadequately cared for by the "farming out" process at the present. We have been able to make more satisfactory provision for some other phases during the past two years.

Need Better Equipment.

"It is eminently necessary to provide well equipped libraries and laboratories, both indoors and out doors; adequate conditions of heating, lighting, ventilation and sanitation; and to provide for the proper upkeep of the property of the state to the end that the students may be comfortable and properly cared for and that their study may be performed to the best advantage and the deterioration of the property guarded against and that we may get the maximum of value from its use.

"Our progress will be seriously hindered if you should be unable to grant the sums asked for the maintenance of the work of this school. We could easily ask for more funds and greater amounts, and give a good account of their stewardship and use at the end of the next biennial period."

NORMAL HEAD TO TUTORS.

President Ira Richardson Talks on Educational Problems at St. Joseph Meeting Today.

An address on educational problems, the principal one of the meeting, was delivered at noon today at a luncheon of the Commerce club at St. Joseph by President Ira Richardson of the State Normal school. Educational directors and teachers of Buchanan county attended.

In speaking of President Richardson's address, the St. Joseph Gazette today makes these predictions and sends the following bouquets to President Richardson.

"The trend of modern learning, technical and applied science, the value of intensive studies, manual training, and the social aspect of public school life are expected to be subjects touched upon by the speaker. The effect upon the pupil of his educational training, when he has gone forth from the schools to take his place in active affairs of life—especially business life—and suggestions for the betterment of that training, are expected from Prof. Richardson

"The speaker is known for his clearness of diction, compression of ideas, and for his witty epigrams, 'Richardsonisms.' He is said to be brief without approaching flippancy in utterance, while his addresses are complete without the hint of verbosity. A large attendance is expected."

REPAIR JAIL AFTER DELIVERY.

Several Bars in Bastile Replaced Following Recent Escape of Two.

The county jail, Sheriff Edwin Wallace announces, is once more able to care for the most expert jail breakers, after a week or more of weakness due to having four of its big steel bars severed by two of the prisoners who broke jail recently. The bars have been replaced with new ones and spliced so as to withstand the test, Sheriff Wallace says.

The jail throughout also has been thoroughly overhauled and everything put in ship-shape, he announces. Extra precautions, however, are being taken to insure against any further deliveries.

The last escape was by E. F. Steinberg, sentenced a few days ago to five years in the state penitentiary for forgery, and Harry Whalen, who will be sentenced for robbery, tomorrow, by Circuit Judge W. C. Ellison.

MRS. STONE, 75, DIES.

Aged Woman Succumbs at Home of Daughter This Morning.

Mrs. Lavinia E. Stone, aged 75, the wife of Hosea Stone of 115 South Hester street, died at 4:30 o'clock this morning at the home of her son-in-law, James Lacy, five miles east of the city. Mrs. Stone had been in failing health for the past four years. She was taken to the Lacy home Saturday to be cared for. No arrangements have yet been made for the funeral.

Mrs. Stone came with her husband to Maryville from Kansas two years ago. She is survived by her husband and seven children. The children are D. M. Pike and Mrs. James Lacy of Maryville, Mrs. Ella Steffe of Carlin, Ill.; Charles A. Pike of Dallas, Texas; William H. Pike of Canada, George H. Pike of Los Angeles, Cal., and Mrs. Mary E. Rock of Meridan, Kan.

Well Known Horseman Dies.

Charles Jester, horse buyer, who has been purchasing horses in northwest Missouri the last two years, and is well known to horse dealers in this county, died at his home in Wilmington, Del., yesterday, according to a dispatch received by James A. Ford of Maryville. Mr. Jester was considered one of the keenest judges of horses in the country.

Increase in Dairy Cattle

The report of State Dairy Commissioner E. G. Bennett shows that over $250,000 worth of pure bred dairy cattle have been shipped into Missouri during the past 12 months. This is the latest and best proof that Missouri is a great dairy state.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

HOLD 3 ELECTIONS

CITY SCHOOL AND TOWNSHIP CHANGES COME IN SPRING.

MANY FOR COLLECTOR

Three Democrats and 2 Republicans Already Out for Township Office—Five Changes in the City.

Three elections will be held in Maryville and two in Nodaway county, outside of Maryville, in March and April. The first Tuesday, March 30, will be the township elections, general over the county. The second and third, to be held April 6, will be to elect four councilmen and a city collector for Maryville and members of school boards and a county school superintendent.

The most sought after office probably will be that of township collectors in the fifteen townships of Nodaway county. In Polk township alone five men already have announced their candidacy. Three are Democrats and two are Republicans. The Democrats are W. L. Robey, J. H. Thorp and W. A. Burris. The Republicans are Clarence Green and C. L. Gann. Several others are intending to enter the race, it is said.

Pick Candidates in Caucus.

The two political parties will pick the man to finally "run" for the office in the election at caucuses to be held two or three weeks before the election. These caucuses are generally held on a Saturday.

Besides the office of township collector to be filled in each township March 30, there is the township board of three members, assessor, constable and justices of the peace. In most townships there is but one justice, but in Polk township there are three.

The office of collector pays the best for the time required to be given to its duties, as there are but about three months a year, November, December and January, when the collections amount to much.

In the city election in Maryville a successor to the late S. G. Selecman, city collector, who died recently, will be chosen. If Mr. Selecman had lived no city collector would need be elected before the spring of 1916. He was elected for a term of two years last spring. Mrs. Selecman, his wife, was appointed recently by Mayor U. S. Wright to succeed him.

Four Councilmen Go Out.

The four councilmen whose terms expire in April are: M. A. Hahn, First ward; J. D. Ford, Second ward; John H. Gray, Third ward; Louis Gram, Fourth ward.

In the school election in Maryville two members of the school board of six will be elected. Those whose terms expire next spring are L. C. Cook and Dr. Jesse Miller. Each member holds office for three years. In other parts of Nodaway county only one school board member will be elected, except where another has resigned or for any other reason there is a vacancy.

In the school elections over the whole county a vote will be taken on the election of a county school superintendent. Albert H. Cooper, who now holds that office, was merely chosen January 1 to fill the unexpired term of Prof. W. M. Oakerson. It is known that Mr. Cooper will be a candidate for election. It is believed he will have at least two opponents. He is a Democrat.

Collector Gets Nearly $2,000.

The reason for the mad race for the office of township collector, at least in this, Polk township, is that it pays from between $1,500 and $2,000 annually for about three months work. F. S. Grundy has been the collector of Polk township the last two years. On account of his ill health, however, his daughter, Miss Cleo Grundy, transacts the business of the office.

The tax on real and personal property in the township last year was $78,500. Mr. Grundy gets 2½ per cent of that. This would make his salary for the last year $1,962.50, providing all is collected, but it is not. There always are some delinquents. Mr. Grundy gives a security bond of $245,000. He is a Democrat.

HOLD PREPARATORY MEETING.

Special Service and Program at Christian Church Tonight.

An interesting program and especially prepared readings are to be given this evening at the mid-week prayer service of the First Christian church. The meeting will be led by the pastor, the Rev. Robert L. Finch, and is held in preparation of the evangelistic services which will begin February 14.

TOO MANY ATTEND

BAPTIST REVIVAL JAMS RETARD SOUL SAVING, WORKERS DECLARE

CONVERT 97 IN 3 DAYS

With House Overflowing, Twenty-one Confess Conversion Last Night—May Close Campaign Sunday.

THANKS, MR. BURCH.

I am happy tonight as I face this magnificent audience, and as I think of the many who have professed faith during this meeting. I am grateful for the support that has been given us by the Christians of all the churches in this beautiful little city.

"I am especially grateful for the inestimable assistance of the splendid press of this city. They're a glorious bunch of fellows, these good editors and their fine corps of helpers. I often wonder if we appreciate as we should these men who are abreast of the age and who understand the temper of the American people.

"I wonder if we appreciate as we should these men who know that goodness is news and who understand that the reading public appreciates a report of a religious meeting more than they do unseemly doings of vile and vicious men.

"This meeting could not have assumed the great proportions it has had it not been for the splendid editors and the gracious work they have done. God bless them everyone."—Excerpt from the sermon of Evangelist A. E. Burch at the First Baptist church last night.

It is seldom that the wail goes out anywhere, any time, that the attendance at a church service is too large, but such is the unusual declaration of the Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor of the First Baptist church, and Evangelist A. E. Burch, who is conducting revival meetings at the Baptist church. "The house is so packed every night that it is difficult to persuade persons, who really desire to do so, to come forward and confess conversion," said Evangelist Burch this morning. "So many do come forward, too, that it is hard to handle the situation."

Each night this week Evangelist Burch has addressed between 900 and 1,000 persons, ninety-seven of whom have confessed conversion within the three nights. The total number of conversions to date is 134, twenty-one of which were added last night.

Expect to Convert Over 200.

The Baptist church has an estimated seating capacity of between 700 and 750 in the pews, while more than 200 chairs have been placed in the auditorium aisles and at the rear to care for some of the overflow. Between 75 and 90 also are in the chorus nightly. But with all this accommodation many stand throughout the meetings each night, despite the fact that the services usually continue from 7:30 o'clock until between 10:30 and 11 o'clock.

The evangelistic services will continue at least until next Sunday night, Mr. Hale announced this morning. By that time at least 200 conversions are expected.

In the revival conducted at the Baptist church last winter by the Rev. George Hale of Hannibal, a brother to Mr. Hale, pastor here, 109 conversions were secured.

Christian Richest Man.

Evangelist Burch's topic last night was "The Christian's Theoscope." The text was "Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God." Mr. Burch said in part:

"There was a time when I thought this text meant that the pure in heart should see God after death, and I expect there are hundreds of people who have read this same meaning into this text, but I believe it means the pure in heart shall see God right here and now. Perhaps not face to face, but the man with a pure heart lives upon another plane than the man who is a stranger to God.

"The religion of Christ makes men happy and not miserable. It is the most beautiful thing in this world to live for God, and it is a different plane of living, a different atmosphere. We have a different contact with this old world when we have a pure heart The richest of all men is the man who is closest to God, for he sees more in life to live for than any other man.

Pure Heart, Christian's Theoscope.

"Wherever a man turns there is no thought but God. It seems so strange that a man being made in the image of his Father, can forget that he is living in God's country.

"The pure heart is that through which we see God. It is the Christian's theoscope. The reason men and women stalk the streets tonight with no thought of God is because their hearts are clouded with sin. It is because the heart isn't pure that any man fails to see God. A pure heart is the lens by which God is photographed on our souls, through which he speaks to our souls.

"An impure heart is full of iniquity and sin and it keeps us from seeing our Father. If you know that you need God, don't wait for feeling, because the heart is deceitful and desperately wicked. It is an impure heart out of which wickedness and sin comes. Pride comes from an evil heart. A man that knows God and has a pure heart can't be proud, vain and puffed up. It is a different world with God in your heart

Christian 7 Days a Week.

"We must forsake our evil ways. A man can't come to God and bring the old way of sin with him. A man that professes one thing on the Sabbath and lives another six days out of the week is not the man that God will bless.

"No man can take God into his heart and be dishonest with his fellow men. I believe that the man that has harmed another, when he comes to Christ, will go back over the years and make it right. I believe the pure in heart see God in nature.

"The man with a pure heart can see God in the family. I wonder how a man can look into the face of a little baby and not see God. A man with a pure heart can see God in his mother's face. The pure heart is that through which we can see everything good and pure and lovely. It is the Christian's theoscope."

LAUDS FORMER PASTOR HERE.

The Rev. Claude J. Miller Is "Boosted" in Windsor, Colo, Evangelistic Work.

The Rev. Claude J. Miller, pastor of the First Christian church of Maryville before the coming of the Rev Robert L. Finch, present pastor, was paid many laurels last week in a column article in "The Poudre Valley," publish ed at Windsor, Colo., where Mr. Miller now is conducting a revival. Mr. Miller, however, is pastor of a Christian church at Greeley, Colo.

"The Poudre Valley" says in part.

The Rev. Claude J. Miller, pastor evangelist in charge has been preaching some very strong and forceful sermons, the salient features of which will sink deep into the community heart.

Mr. Miller is a rapid-fire talker, deeply in earnest, if you once hear him you can readily understand why he has such a large congregation of workers in the church at Greeley, of which he has been the resident minister for the past few years. He is a hard worker, a deep thinker and a student not only of the Bible but of philosophy, socioiogy and other weighty subjects.

Marked honor has recently been conferred on Mr Miller in his appointment as a member of the state board of managers for the Christian church and also in being chosen president of the Northern Colorado district.

PROBATE COURT YIELDS $2,665

Judge W. H. Conn Reports State Settlement Fees Went Towards Printing and Salaries.

The annual report of Probate Judge W. H. Conn to the county court, which was filed with County Clerk Fred J. Yeomans today, shows that during 1914 estate settlements and general probate court work of Nodaway county yielded a total receipt for the year of $2,665.75.

This was expended in full as follows: Fees to Judge Conn $1,943.92; Miss Mabel Hunt, for hire, $660; printing of dockets $61 83.

Try to Get Municipal Water.

A special election to vote on a proposition to issue $135,000 in bonds for the purchase by the city of the private owned water plant, will be held in Chillicothe, February 15. It is estimated the plant can be purchased for $77,000. The remainder of the bond issue would be for improvements and extensions

Mrs. Woodworth Improving.

Mrs. Lemuel Woodworth, who has been at St. Francis hospital for the past ten days, recuperating from an operation which she underwent, was taken today to her home on South Fillmore street She is greatly improved in health.

Moves to New Cottage.

Mrs. C. E. Gregory and daughters, Mary and Nora, have moved from the cottage at 319 West Second street to the one at 610 East Fourth street, where they will now be at home.

WE WIN AUSTRIA AND RUSSIA SAY

CZAR REPORTS GERMANS ARE CHECKED ALONG VISTULA.

VIENNA DECLARES ENEMY LOST MUCH

Battle in Northwest Hungary Results in Evacuation by Slavs—Zeppelins in West Now.

Petrograd, Jan. 27.—The Russian official staff reports successes on the battle line, alleging that the German forces were checked on both sides of the Visual river along the Russian-German border.

Vienna, Jan. 27.—An official Austrian communication issued today reports successes in fighting in the passes leading into northwestern Hungary, between Austrian and Russian forces. The statement follows:

"In the valleys of Ung Latoroza and Nagy Szamoz, the enemy has been forced to evacuate some important points after repeated attacks and fruitless counter attacks, which cost the enemy heavy losses."

London, Jan. 27.—A Zeppelin dirigible balloon, belonging to the German forces, was shot down and destroyed and the crew taken prisoners near Libau on the Baltic sea, according to an official announcement here. It first succeeded in dropping several bombs on the Russian port of Libau, but no damage of consequence resulted.

C. G. TRAPP AGAIN TO SPEAK.

Graham Lumberman Will Address Southwest Dealers at Kansas City This Week.

Several lumber dealers of Maryville and Nodaway county will attend the twenty-seventh annual meeting of the Southwest Lumbermen's association, which begins in Kansas City today and will continue three days One of the speakers on the program is C. G. Trapp, lumber dealer of Graham, who has become so famous as a speaker that whenever two or more lumbermen get together in the middle west they call on Trapp.

Trapp's famous sermon is "Retail Credits and Terms of Sale." But he will also give another address on "Association Efficiency" during the Kansas City meeting.

BROTHER AND SISTER TO WED

Charles and Mary Wiederholt, Clyde, Get Marriage Licenses Here Today

Licenses to marry were granted in the office of recorder of deeds this morning to Charles Wiederho't, 23 years old, and Miss Lucy Bil'ey, 20 years old, and to Thomas Mil'er, 28 years old, and Miss Mary Wiederholt, 19 years old. All gave their addresses as Clyde.

Charles Wiederholt is a brother to Mary Wiederholt. Charles Wiederholt and Miss Mary Bliley will be married Wednesday, February 3. Mr. Mi'ler and Miss Wiederholt will be married a week later. Both marriages are to be performed at the Catholic monastery at Conception by Father Placidus.

AGAIN IT SNOWS.

Zero Weather, Stiff Breeze and Snow Makes Outdoor Work Unpleasant.

Maryville faced a near-blizzard today, with zero weather prevailing and a stiff nor'easter blowing a fine snow before it. At noon it had snowed about one-half an inch and continued during the afternoon. While the mercury rose a little this morning, the breeze and snow made it seem that the temperature was really falling.

According to J. R. Brink, official forecaster, however, the mercury had fallen to 1 degree below zero at 7 o'clock this morning, but had risen to 2 degrees above zero at noon today. The maximum temperature yesterday was 27 degrees above zero.

Idaho Visitors Arrive.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Rhoades are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Snodgrass and children of Rupert, Idaho, who arrived yesterday for a short visit. Mrs. Snodgrass is a sister of Mrs. Rhoades.

THE WEATHE'

Generally fair tonight and Thursday; Much colder tonight; moderate to fresh north winds.

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Announcement.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. HENRY THORP.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. L. ROBEY.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. C. L. GANN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. A. BURRIS.

COMBINED SCHOOL GETS $438.

Four Rural Schools, Following Legal Affirmation of Consolidation Turn Over Funds.

The following balances in possession of the country districts formed by the consolidated district of Graham were recently turned over to the treasurer of the consolidated district:

Hayzlett	$360.52
Lyle	113 15
Stark	17.72
Hickory Grove	8.48
Total	$438.87

These balances have been held by the country districts since the close of the last school year, June 30, 1914, pending a suit in the circuit court to test the legality of the election for consolidation. The courts decided in favor of consolidation, thereby removing the last legal hindrance to progress.

Many Market Live Stock.

Several large shipments of cattle and hogs were made to the St. Joseph market yesterday by Nodaway county stockmen and farmers. Fair prices were received.

Among those shipping from this county to yesterday's market were:

G. M. Brown, Montgomery & Co., M. Reece & Co., I. W. Barber, Twaddell Bros., L. W. Chambers, P. W. Shaffer, J. T. Renfro, Joe Holker, C. Bebout, J. W. Lee, Sheeley & Lowrey, J. B. Nunnelley, M. B. Sherlock, White & Co., James Blagg & Co., Roscoe & Eaton, J. H. Hutchison, T. A. Brasher, B. E. Denham, Herndon & Bishop, H. Luke, W. Merrigan, Horton & Dugan, L. O. Grantham, Art Craven and Will N. Wray.

With Advancing Age

Comes the frequent need of consulting an Optician.

Most eldery people find their eyes changing from year to year.

This is natural, and calls for a more frequent change of lenses than is neccessary in earlier years.

If you need Optical assistance at all, you need My Kind.

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WOULD HAVE COUNTY ADJUSTER.

Bill to Stop Petty Litigation Proposed for Counties of Over 25,000.

A unique bill has been introduced in the house of the state legislature providing for a county adjuster in every county having a population of more than 25,000. This would affect Nodaway county. The county adjuster would hear disputes where the amount involved is less than $50. No witnesses would be summoned before the "adjuster" except the two in dispute. They simply would tell him their stories and he would try and settle the controversy.

If even he could not bring them together he would transfer the record of the case to a justice court and let them fight it out.

The idea of the bill is to stop "petty" litigation and long-drawn-out lawsuits over small amounts. The bill leaves it to each county or city to fix the salary of the "adjuster."

To Hold Saturday Market.

The women of the First Methodist church are preparing to hold an all-day market Saturday at the McCrary millinery store, on north Main street. In addition to the sale of delicatessen dainties and home bakery supplies, hot coffee and sandwiches will be served during the day at a cost of 5 cents each

Dr. Chas. A. Bone, osteopath, over Fern theater.

Remus'

Grocery List For

Thursday and Friday

At Money Saving Prices

Red Globe Onions, lb	3c
Parsnips, lb	3c
Home-grown Lettuce, lb	30c
Grape Fruit, 2 for 15c; 4 for	25c
Choice Evaporated Peaches, lb	8c
Frontier Mince Meat, quart jar	23c
Gallon can Logan Berries	63c
Gallon can Black Raspberries	58c
Gallon can Red Raspberries	63c
Gallon can Frontier Yellow Peaches	Free 43c
Gallon can Frontier Apricots	46c
Frontier Catsup, bottle	9c
Home-made Horseradish, bottle	9c
Richelieu Mustard, jar	9c
Stuffed Olives, bottle	9c
Canada Woods Syrup, bottle	7c
Frontier Grated Pineapple	9c
Flat can Monsoon Sliced Peaches	12c
Quart can Log Cabin Syrup	36c
Blue Sea Tuna Fish, can	23c
Richelieu Little Kernel Corn	12c
Frontier Sweet Corn	8c
Wisconsin Sugar Corn	7c
Frontier Pumpkin	8c
Frontier Lye Hominy	8c
Frontier No. 2 size can Tomatoes	8c
Frontier June Peas	11c
Sauk City Sweet Wrinkled Peas	8c
Frontier Sauer Kraut	8c
25c K. C. Baking Powder	18c
Frontier Asparagus	19c
Plymouth Rock Beets	11c
Large can Notoma Pork and Beans	9c
Quaker Puffed Rice, pkg	12c
Clover Leaf Pastry Flour pkg	24c
25c Goodyear Pancake Flour	22c
10c roll Toilet Paper	6c
10c cake Snowflake Cocoa Hard Water Toilet Soap	6c
Rock Crystal Table Salt, pkgs	3c
Solid head Cabbage, lb	2c
Shinola Shoe Polish, box	7c
Bottle Household Ammonia	8c
E Z Stove Polish Paste	8c
E Z Stove Polish Liquid	8c
Country Eggs, doz	30c
9-lb sack Yellow Corn Meal	28c

REMUS'
For Reliable Goods
Corner Third and Buchanan

WILSON'S VIEW OF "BAD ACTOR"

President Talks at Opening of Y. M. C. A. Campaign.

MUST MAKE PROMISES GOOD.

Executive Says He Does Lot of Thinking When Man Failing to Deliver Goods Comes Around and Professes Loyalty Again.

Washington, Jan. 27.—President Wilson, in an address opening the membership campaign of the District of Columbia Young Men's Christian association, praised the men who fulfilled their promises.

"I long ago learned to receive with amiability, I hope, the professions of all sorts and conditions of men," he said, "but after I have heard their professions I wait patiently to see their performance, and I do not pass judgment until that performance. If a man wishes me to consider him loyal, for example, I must really trouble him to show his quality when he is put to the test; and if he cannot show his quality when put to the test, I may not say anything the next time he comes around and professes his loyalty, but I will do a lot of thinking. I wonder within my own head if he really thinks that I am deceived, if he really thinks I am as innocent as I look.

"This is the rigid and stern standard to which we hold each other, whether we realize it or not. You know the slang expression, 'He is a bad actor.' You are not speaking of the stage. You mean he does not do what he says; and the minute you find he does not do what he says, then it is all up so far as your trustfulness and admiration and willing dealings with him are concerned."

SHIP BILL IN SENATE

Upper House Rejects Republican Amendments to Measure.

Washington, Jan. 27.—Republican amendments to the administration shipping bill to prohibit purchase of ships now belonging to the European belligerents were rejected by the senate commerce committee by a strict party vote, and the bill, as revised by the Democratic caucus, was reported again to the senate.

One important amendment would permit such government ships as are American built to engage in the coastwise trade.

Other amendments provide that the shipping corporation shall be organized under the laws of the District of Columbia; that the shipping board to control the enterprise shall consist of the secretaries of the treasury and commerce and three additional members, "two of whom shall be of practical experience in the management and operation of steamships in foreign trade," and that the capital stock of the proposed shipping corporation cannot be increased to more than $20,000,000.

Objects to Food Shipments to Germany.

London, Jan. 27.—The Morning Post published an editorial article on the case of the steamer Wilhelmina, the American vessel which left New York for Germany carrying a cargo of American foodstuffs, consigned to the representative in Germany of an American concern. It says that this is a more plausible and more insidious test case than is the experiment with the steamer Dacia, the cotton laden vessel of changed registry, still at Galveston, and that if it is allowed it will be injurious to the cause of the allies.

Zeppelin Raiding Libau Destroyed.

London, Jan. 27.—It was officially announced in London that the Zeppelin dirigible balloon which dropped bombs on the Russian port of Libau, in the Baltic sea, was destroyed and that the members of its crew were taken prisoners.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Jan. 27—Closing prices: Wheat—May, $1.46½; July, $1.30⅞.
Corn—May, 80½c; July, 81⅜c.
Oats—May, 58⅝c; July, 56½c.
Pork—May, $18.87½; July, $19.15.
Lard—May, $10.82½; July, $10.97½.
Ribs—May, $10.27½; July, $10.47½.
Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, $1.45@1.46¾; No. 4 yellow corn, 71½@73c; No. 3 white oats, 54½@55½; No. 4 white oats, 54½@55c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,000; slow; native steers, $5.60@9.25; westerns, $5.10@7.50; cows and heifers, $2.25@8; calves, $7.25@10.50. Hogs—Receipts, 49,000; dull, 10@25c lower; bulk, $6.55@6.75; light, $6.55@6.90; heavy, $6.25@6.70; rough, $6.25@6.35; pigs, $5.25@7. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; strong; sheep, $6@6.80; yearlings, $7@8; lambs, $7.40@8.90.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Jan. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; slow but steady; beef steers, $6.90@8.25; cows and heifers, $4.35@8; stockers and feeders, $5.40@8.20; bulls, $5@6.50; calves, $6@9.25. Hogs—Receipts, 18,000; 10c lower; bulk of sales, $6.45@6.55; top, $6.60. Sheep—Receipts, 11,500; 15@25c higher; lambs, $7.65@8.60; wethers, $6@6.50; ewes, $5.50@6.10.

"CASCARETS" RELIEVE SICK, SOUR STOMACH

Move Acids, Gases and Clogged-Up Waste From Stomach, Liver, Bowels—Cure Indigestion.

Get a 10-cent box now.

That awful sourness, belching of acid and foul gases; that pain in the pit of the stomach, the heartburn, nervousness, nausea, bloating after eating, dizziness and sick headache, means a disordered stomach, which can not be regulated until you remove the cause. It isn't your stomach's fault. Your stomach is as good as any.

Try Cascarets; they immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels. Then your stomach trouble is ended. A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box from any drug store will keep your stomach sweet; liver and bowels regular for months. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a good, gentle cleansing, too.

QUITMAN NEWS.

Services at Centenary Sunday were well attended, both morning and evening, considering the cold weather and snow blocked roads

Bro. McGinness filled Rev. DeWitt's appointment in the morning, and the presiding elder preached at night.

Mr. Bush, who has been suffering the past five weeks with a carbuncle on his head, was taken to St. Francis hospital at Maryville Thursday for treatment. He is reported to be no better.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McDonald and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith.

The 12-year-old son of Mr and Mrs. Tom Hart was quite badly hurt last week while coasting at school.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Linville visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Shrewsbury.

W. D. McDonald returned Friday from a business trip to St. Louis.

Mr. Tom McDonald, who has been visiting in this vicinity, returned to his home in Maryville Saturday.

Mrs Robert Barrett and daughter, who have been visiting W. M. Reed and family, returned home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Linville visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sharp will move next week to the W. M. Taylor farm, south of Centenary.

Our First White Sale

Only Three More Days of This Great Money Saving Sale.

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MARYVILLE, MO.

The Busy Store With Little Prices

Mrs. John Heaton is on the sick list

Howard Barker spent Saturday night with Charles Walton.

Ray Barker visited Friday with Mr. Earl McDonald.

Sunday guests of Ernest Willhoyte were Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Dalbert Vert and daughter.

Mr. W. M. Walker is on the sick list.

Mrs. William Job returned Monday from a visit with her mother, Mrs. Oscar Sallee of Elmo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McDonald and Mr. I. D. Tarpley attended the quarterly conference at Skidmore Monday.

HOPKINS

Miss Anna Fisher visited friends in St. Joseph over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Peck of Oklahoma are here visiting. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wolfers, Sr.

Mr. Gilbert and sister of Guilford are guests of Mrs. Walker this week.

Mr. and Mrs Davis of Minnesota are guests at the H. C. Clutter home this week.

Miss Sara McMaster was a St. Joseph visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Stevens returned from their wedding trip Monday forenoon and are now boarding with Mrs. Josephine Sobbings. They have the congratulations of the entire community.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butler, who have been visiting relatives in Illinois, have returned home

The funeral of George M. Ulmer, who died Saturday morning was held Monday at 1 p. m. at the M. E. church. The funeral was one of the largest ever held in Hopkins. The Ulmer family is one of the oldest and largest in Nodaway county, and have many acquaintances who were in attendance.

Mrs. W. S. Robb entertained the P. E. O. ladies at her home, in East Hopkins, Friday afternoon A dainty lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. J. E. Herbert.

Mrs. E. C. Wolfers and Mrs. R. H. Wolfers of Pickering will entertain at a series of luncheons, followed by dominoes, this week. The first luncheon will be Wednesday.

Dr. Chas. A. Bone, osteopath, over Fern theater.

Quaint Costumes at Dance.

A dance carnival, in which participants wore costumes depicting a nation or business establishment of Maryville, was held in the Woodmen of the World hall last night by Mrs Will Foster. The attendance was large. Many costumes of quaint and unique designs were shown. Refreshments were served.

Dr. Chas. A. Bone, osteopath, over Fern theater.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

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GEO. M. COHAN'S Famous Play with Music

45 Minutes From Broadway

with

"CORINNE" in her original Role of Mary } **BERNARD RIGGS as Kid Burns**

Big Cast and Famous Cohan Chorus

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PRICES—25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00. Box Seats $1.50

Our Clothing Values Speak Louder Than Words

The reason is apparent when you examine the slashing bargains below. Prices coupled with visible values have made this statement possible

Our annual inventory takes place February 1. We wish to cut our stock down for this purpose—therefore you get the benefit of these extremely low prices.

STEIN-BLOCH and SOCIETY BRAND SUITS

$25.00 and $22.50 Suits	***$17.50***
$20,00 and $18.50 Suits	***$14.50***
$16.50 and $15.00 Suits	***$11.00***

We have divided our Overcoat Stock into Four Lots

$25.00, $22.50, $20.00 and $18.50 Overcoats, now	***$15.00***
$16.50, $15.00, $13.50 and $12.50 Overcoats, now	***$10.00***
All $10.00 Overcoats, now	***$ 7.50***
All $8.50 and $7.50 Overcoats, now	***$ 5.00***

The Sizes range from 33 to 44. It will be money in your pocket to look OVER THESE EXCEPTIONAL VALUES.

One-Fourth off on Boy's and Children's Suits and Overcoats—Remember the makes, ***Ederheimer, Stein & Co.*** known the world over for STYLE AND QUALITY.

Our Store is overflowing with good bargains in the clothing line—Call and we will prove it. This is the last week, Sale closes Saturday night.

Corwin--Murrin Clothing Company

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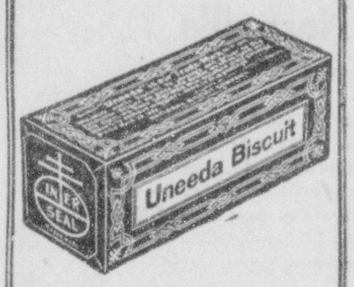
Uneeda Biscuit

Nourishment—fine flavor—purity—crispness—wholesomeness. All for 5 cents, in the moisture-proof package.



GRAHAM CRACKERS

A food for every day. Crisp, delicious and strengthening. Fresh baked and fresh delivered. 10 cents.

SNAPAROONS

A delightful new biscuit, with a rich and delicious cocoanut flavor. Crisp and always fresh. 10 cents.

Buy biscuit baked by

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

Always look for that Name

C. R. Green to Lecture Tonight.

An illustrated lecture on community life and upbuilding will be given at the Myrtle Tree church, four miles northwest of Maryville, tonight by the Rev. C. R. Green, pastor of the Harmony Community church. An oyster supper will be served after the lecture.

The entertainment and box supper given Friday evening at the Green school, near Conception, by the pupils and the teacher, Miss Margaret Heffern, resulted in a fund of $21 cleared. This will be applied to the benefit of the school library.

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Burning the Candle at Both Ends

Means extravagance. People who burn the candle at both ends always end the same way. If you are one of them, stop it by opening a Savings Account with us and deposit a little from your income regularly. No matter how small your income may be, save something from it and you will thank us later on for suggesting it to you. We have started a lot of people in the right direction. Let us START YOU NOW.

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Maryville, - Missouri

CHARLES G. M'CHORD.

Will Be Elected Chairman Of the Interstate Commerce Commission In a Few Days.

Photo by American Press Association.

BRITISH REPLY TO GERMAN CHARGES

Foreign Office Explains Secret Treaty Made With Belgians.

London, Jan. 27.—The official information bureau issued a statement, as follows:

"The foreign office, replying officially to the interview with Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German imperial chancellor, admits the existence of the documents the Germans have said they found in Brussels, but insists these were purely informal in case the British needed to defend Belgian neutrality. The Belgian marginal note upon the record explains that 'the entry of the English into Belgium would only take place after the violation of our neutrality by Germany.'

"If the German chancellor wishes to know why there were conversations on this military subject between British and Belgian officers, he may find the reason in the fact well known to him, namely, that Germany was establishing an elaborate network of strategical railways, deliberately constructed to permit a sudden attack on Belgium. This alone was enough to justify communications between Belgium and other powers on the footing that there would be no violation of Belgian neutrality unless it previously had been violated by another power. On no other footing did Belgium ever have such communications."

Tillman Proposes Four Battleships.

Washington, Jan. 27.—A four-battleship program for the next congress was proposed by Chairman Tillman of the senate naval committee as an amendment to the current naval bill now awaiting passage. Chairman Tillman told several of his colleagues he was absolutely opposed to the building of any large battleships this year. It would be his purpose to urge, he said, only the building of small craft and auxiliaries.

Want New State of Lincoln.

Olympia, Wash., Jan. 27.—A memorial introduced in the state senate, asking congress to create out of the eastern Washington counties and the Panhandle district of Idaho the new state of Lincoln, was reported favorably by unanimous vote by the committee on memorials.

Boy Bank Robber Killed.

Houston, Tex., Jan. 27.—A boy robber entered the Guarantee State bank here, drove the bank officials into the vault at the point of a revolver, locked them up and fled with between $4,000 and $5,000. He was pursued and killed before he had run a dozen blocks.

CHINA DISTURBED BY JAPANESE DEMANDS

Peking, Jan. 27.—Demands which Japan has made upon China following the Japanese occupation of Kiauchau have become known in Peking and their extent is disquieting to Chinese officials.

These demands, twenty one in number, include, first, that China turn over to Japan all existing German and Austrian concessions; second, that China pledge itself not to give concessions in the future to any country except Japan; third, permission to build a special territorial railroad, and, fourth, mining privileges in Shantung and Fukien provinces in Manchuria, in eastern Mongolia and in the Yangtse valley.

It is felt in Peking that if these demands were granted the result would be tantamount to turning over to Japan all the region above named as spheres of influence, to the detriment of the treaty rights of other nations. The Peking government has not replied to the Japanese note.

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

KATE SCHENCK

Phones—Office 42 Home 683

Royal Neighbors to Meet.

The regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors lodge will be held tomorrow afternoon.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Culver of Barnard gave a dinner Sunday noon in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Ibe Rasco and daughter, Cletta

Ladies' Aid to Meet.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Christian church will hold a general meeting at the church tomorrow afternoon. The election of officers and other important business will come before the members.

Dinner Guests.

Judge and Mrs. I. K. Alderman will entertain with a dinner party tonight at which plates will be laid for Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanna and their house guest, Mrs. J. H. Holland of Riverside, Cal. Mrs. Holland has been spending the past week in Maryville visiting, and will leave tomorrow for Colorado Springs, Col., to visit friends before returning to her home.

Reception for Visitors.

The Christian Women's Board of Missions and the Mission Circle will give a reception Saturday afternoon in the parlors of the First Christian church in honor of Mrs. Ross of Canton, field worker in missions, who is to make an address at the First Christian church Sunday morning, and Mrs. O. W. Lawrence, state secretary of the C. W. B. M. Both visitors will arrive in the city Thursday night.

Comfort Tacking Party.

A comfort tacking party was given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Chester Ferguson at her home, northwest of Wilcox The guests spent the entire day at the Ferguson home, and at noon a fine dinner was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. B. K. Ferguson and Mrs. Fred Nicholas. The guests were Mrs. Al McCord, Mrs. J. T. Patterson, Mrs. Russell Logan, Mrs. Ed Sexson, Mrs. Harvey Hornbuckle, Mrs. B. K Ferguson and Mrs. Fred Nicholas.

Holbrooks Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Holbrook were the hosts of a dinner party given yesterday noon at their home, on South Mulberry street, arranged in honor of their house guest, Mrs. Minnie Whittam of St. Joseph. Plates were laid for Mrs. Whittam, Mrs. J. H. Holland of Riverside, Cal.; Mrs. John Airy, Mrs. J. C. Dutton and Mr. and Mrs. Holbrook. Mrs. Holland is a house guest of Mrs. O. C. Hanna. She is a former Maryville resident and is enjoying a few weeks spent with old friends here.

Men Serve Banquet.

An unexpected courtesy on the part of the men of Rosanna chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, was extended to the entire chapter last night when they served a banquet at the close of the regular meeting hour. The banquet was served in the dining room of the Masonic hall. The event was not announced until the close of the business meeting and the invitation to dine was given as a surprise. About sixty-five were entertained. During the business session two new members were initiated. They were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith.

Guild Meets.

The Westminster Guild enjoyed one of the most pleasant evenings of the winter last night at the manse, with Mrs. S. D. Harkness and Miss Elizabeth Ashford hostesses. Three new members were received into the Guild. They were Mrs. W. H. Allen, Miss Helen Todd and Miss Helen Leffler. One visitor, Miss Carstens, was present. The study of the evening concluded "In Red Man's Land," and the new topic taken up will be "An Oriental Land of the Free." The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Walter Hanson, on East Sixth street.

Former Maryville Girl Lauded.

A pleasurable bit of gossip from the state capital circles regards Miss Dorothy Bean of Creston, Ia., which will please her friends in this city. Miss Bean is employed as private secretary to Senator Anderson Craig, and in an official and social way has been given many recognitions both for her capability and charming ways. Miss Bean is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bean, and the family made Maryville its home for a number of years. Miss Bean was employed as secretary and stenographer to the Normal president several years. Since her arrival at Jefferson City she has attracted more favorable attention than any of the young women employes in the senate.

Metcalf-Smith.

The marriage of Miss Ruth Metcalf to Mr. Lee Smith of Maitland took place at high noon today at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. Metcalf of Maitland. The words of the ceremony were pronounced by the Rev. A. R. Bemis, pastor of the Christian church. Among the out-of-town relatives attending were Mrs. Edward Vannice and Miss Anna Metcalf of Klamath, Ore., and Mr. and Mrs. Roy DeBord, living near Maryville. Mr. Smith and his bride left on the afternoon train for St. Louis, where they will spend a couple of weeks visiting, after which they will be at home at Maitland. Mr. Smith is the junior member of the McNaul-Lee Hardware company at that place.

Club Begins New Study.

The study of the "Merry Wives of Windsor" was begun yesterday afternoon by the Shakespeare department of the Twentieth Century club at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. Gallatin Craig. A paper giving the delineation of the first and second acts, prepared by Miss Grace Langan, was read by Mrs Bruce Montgomery. The reading on "Ford and Page," prepared by Mrs. Berney Harris, who was unable to be present, was read by Mrs. George Eaton. Mrs. Lewis White gave the talk on current events and Mrs. Montgomery conducted the word drill. Three visitors were present at the meeting. They were Miss Virginia Finley of Kentucky, a house guest of Mrs. Craig, Mrs. Henry A. Foster and Miss Mary Frances Ford.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—15,000. Quarantined. Market 35@50c lower. Estimate tomorrow, 21,000.

Hogs—55,000. Market 75c lower; top, $6.30. Estimate tomorrow, 38,000.

Sheep—2,000. Market 10@20c lower.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—6,000. Market strong.

Hogs—11,000. Market steady to weak; top, $6.70.

Sheep—9,000. Market 10@20c lower.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,200. Market strong.

Hogs—8,500. Market steady to weak; top, $6.60.

Sheep—6,500. Market 10@20c lower.

GERMANS CAPTURE BRITISH POSITIONS

Berlin, Jan. 27.—The German war office says:

"In the western theater the enemy, following his custom, placed Middelkerke and Westende (in Belgium) under fire. A large number of the inhabitants were killed or injured by this fire, including the burgomaster of Middelkerke.

"Our losses were small. Our troops attacked the positions of the English on both sides of the La Bassee canal. While the attack to the north of the canal, between Givenchy and the canal, did not lead to the capture of any English positions, on account of a strong flanking movement, an attack of the troops from Baden, to the south of the canal, met with complete success. In this region the English positions, extending over a width of 1,200 yards, were taken by storm and two strong points of support were captured. Three officers and 110 men were taken prisoners and one cannon and three machine guns were captured.

"The English attempted in vain to recapture the positions which had been immediately employed for our own purposes, but they were beaten back with heavy losses. Our losses were comparatively small.

"Battles successful for our troops took place on the heights of Craonne to the southeast of Laon. All the attacks of the French in the southern part of the Argonne were repelled. More than fifty prisoners fell into our hands.

"In the eastern theater the Russians attacked positions of our cavalry to the northeast of Gumbinnen (in East Prussia) without success. Fierce artillery duels took place on the remainder of the front in East Prussia."

MOTHER! IF CHILD'S TONGUE IS COATED

If Cross, Feverish, Constipated, Bilious, Stomach Sour, Give "California Syrup of Figs."

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is ofttimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup company."

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McLarnon-Gaa.

Miss Louise McLarnon of Omaha and Mr. Frank Gaa of Conception were married at 9 o'clock yesterday morning at Omaha, Neb. The marriage service was read by the Rev. Father James Stenson, priest of St. Philomena's church, where the ceremony took place. The bride wore a handsome traveling suit of olive chiffon broadcloth with hat and gloves corresponding, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. She was attended by a sister of the groom, Miss Emma Gaa, as maid of honor. Miss Gaa wore a navy blue cloth suit with hat to match and a corsage bouquet of white sweet peas. Mr. Gaa was attended by Mr. Orlo McLarnon as best man. At 6 o'clock a wedding dinner, at which the bridal party and a large number of relatives and friends were entertained, was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Pardun of Omaha. Mr. Gaa and his bride came to Conception last night and will be at home to their friends at the Gaa brothers' farm, near Conception

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

MUST GET AUTO TAGS SOON.

By February 1, Nodaway Motor Cars Must Have 1915 Licenses Sheriff Declares

Those automobile owners of Nodaway county, who do not have 1915 auto mobile licenses, are in danger of arrest by Sheriff Edwin Wallace. That county authority has issued the edict and there you are. Some argue that it is only necessary that you send your application for the new license by that date, but Sheriff Wallace argues otherwise.

So the 1,500 automobile owners of Nodaway county and the 300 of Maryville should take heed and see that the new 1915 tags and numbers are at the rear of their buzz wagons by next Monday. Otherwise consider yourself under arrest. The motor cyclist is in the same boat.

The report comes from Jefferson City that an average of 1,000 applications for tags are received there each day. Some erroneously believe war tax stamp of 10 cents is necessary, but it is ruled that such is not the case.

KESSLERS

5, 10 and 25c Store

SPECIALS FOR REST OF WEEK NOW ON SALE

Illinois Noiseless Matches, 2 boxes for 5c
Turkish Towels, 22x44 inches, 25c values, sale price, each 10c
Huck Towels, 22x44 inches, 25c values, sale price, each 10c
(These Towels are extra good values and the supply will not last long.)
Flannelette Flouncings, regular 25c yard, now per yard .. 20c
Men's Work Shirts, in colors, all sizes, reduced to, each .. 15c
(Another real value)

All Winter Goods Now on Sale At Reduced Prices

10c Can Sunbright Cleanser, our price 5c
It is good for the hands, bathtubs, marble, kettles, tinware, etc.
10c values in Fnamelware, such as Lipped Sauce Pans Stew Kettles, Dairy Pans, etc, now, each 5c
In Earthenware you will find some good values, such as 10c Crocks, Butter Jars etc, reduced to, each 5c
Some 20c values, 2 gal. Crocks, 2 gal. Jars, etc. now, each 15c

SPECIAL SATURDAY ONLY

Ewer and Basin, regularly 25c each, set complete 25c
SEE SOUTH WINDOW

KESSLERS
For Real Bargains

MISSOURI WOMAN IS WELL AND HAPPY AFTER HEALTH MIRACLE

She Leads Active Life in Country After Recovery by Using Remarkable Remedy.

Mrs. J. B. Trullinger of Norborne, Mo., was ill for months with derangements of the digestive tract. She suffered terrible pain and was seldom able to be about.

She took Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy with results that most happily surprised her and astonished her physician.

Mrs. Trullinger lives out on rural route 1, out of Norborne, and leads an active country life. She writes:

"I take great pleasure in telling you what Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy has done for me. When I wrote you last March I was hardly able to be up at all. I endured awful suffering. I would get so bad I would become unconscious, and the nauseating spells I had would leave me as weak as if I had a long spell of sickness nearly as bad as typhoid.

"Words cannot express the appreciation I have for your medicine. I am now able to work all day long. All this summer and fall I have felt just fine, gaining in strength and flesh."

Just such happy stories are told by thousands who write after taking Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy. The first dose convinces.

We want all people who have chronic stomach trouble or constipation, no matter of how long standing, to try one dose of Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy—one dose will convince you. This is the medicine so many of our people have been taking with surprising results. The most thorough system cleanser ever sold. Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy is now sold here by Pearson's Pharmacy and druggists everywhere.

REX BEACH

Famous Author, says:

"I have smoked Tuxedo in sub-Arctic Alaska, at Panama and everywhere—would not smoke another kind"—

Rex Beach.

Tuxedo—a Tobacco For Wise Smokers

Rex Beach has lived his books. In personality he is much like his own heroes—a red-blooded, clean-cut, strong young fellow, fond of the healthy ways of out-door life. His tobacco is Tuxedo—a mild yet rich tobacco that is healthful, wholesome, refreshing and beneficial in every way.

You get some Tuxedo today and you'll find your experience with it tallies with Rex Beach's.

Tuxedo

The Perfect Tobacco for Pipe and Cigarette

Never was a smoke as good as Tuxedo—the pipe and cigarette tobacco *without* a sting, and with the most pleasant aroma. It's friendly to every man's taste because it's produced by the famous *original* "Tuxedo Process" that *first* put the sensitive tongue folks on speaking terms with a pipe.

No imitation can be as good as Tuxedo—because no imitator can use the famous, exclusive, original Tuxedo "process."

YOU CAN BUY TUXEDO EVERYWHERE

Convenient, glassine wrapped, moisture-proof pouch . . . **5c**

Famous Green Tin with gold lettering, curved to fit pocket **10c**

In Tin Humidors 40c and 80c *In Glass Humidors 50c and 90c*

THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY

BRITISH CRUISER LION IS DISABLED

Admiralty Admits Warship Badly Damaged In Sea Fight.

HAS TO BE TOWED INTO PORT

Torpedo Boat Meteor Also Hauled Home After Suffering From Attacks of Kaiser's Fleet—More Survivors of Bluecher Landed.

WAR BULLETINS

The English foreign office admits a secret treaty with Belgium, but says troops were to be landed only when the neutrality of Belgium was violated by Germany.

The Germans begin a vigorous offensive in the west, making fierce attacks on the allies. Berlin asserts these attacks were successful, while London and Paris declare them repulsed.

The armies are marking time in the eastern war zone, with the opposing forces preparing for an extending movement.

The British admiralty reports the British battle cruiser Lion and torpedo boat destroyer Meteor disabled in the North sea battle and towed into port.

Germany has confiscated all corn, wheat and flour in the empire to conserve the food supply.

London, Jan. 27.—The British battle cruiser Lion and the British torpedo boat destroyer Meteor were disabled in Sunday's naval battle in the North sea and were towed into port, it was officially announced. All the British ships engaged in the combat, the official statement says, returned safely to port.

The British admiralty made the following announcement:

"All the British ships and torpedo boat destroyers engaged in Sunday's action have returned in safety to port.

"The Lion, which had some of its forward compartments flooded by shells below the water line, was taken in tow by the cruiser Indomitable. The destroyer Meteor, which also was disabled, was taken in tow by the destroyer Liberty. Both vessels were guarded by strong escorts of destroyers. Repairs to both vessels can be speedily made.

"The total number of casualties among the officers and men reported to the admiralty is: On the Lion, seventeen men wounded; on the Tiger, one officer and nine men killed and three officers and eight men wounded, on the Meteor, four men killed and one man wounded.

"It is not believed that any other casualties occurred, but if so they will be immediately published.

"As soon as Vice Admiral Beatty's report is received a fuller account will be given."

Two hundred additional survivors of the German cruiser Bluecher, sunk in the North sea by British warships, have been landed. They include a few petty officers.

ATTACK ALLIES WITH FURY

Teutons Celebrate Kaiser's Birthday by Hammering Lines of Enemy.

London, Jan. 27.—The Germans, who are reported to be making a big military venture to celebrate the emperor's birthday today, have begun a somewhat more determined effort than usual against the French and British lines in Flanders and northern France.

In Poland there has been a slackening in the fighting on both sides for the moment. The Russians appear to be concentrating themselves on the offensive north of the lower Vistula, while the Austro-Germans are busy making preparations to meet the Russian advance through the passes of the Carpathians and in southern Buqowina.

LIVE STOCK BAN RESTORED

Embargo on Shipments From Chicago Yards Is Again On.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—An embargo against the shipment of cattle, sheep or hogs from the Union Stock Yards was restored by the United States bureau of animal industry in an order to Dr. U. G. Houck, chief veterinarian-inspector of the bureau. No animals will be shipped until all pens and alleys have been disinfected.

The order was the result of a suspicion by the government that new cases of foot and mouth disease found in cattle shipped here had originated in the yards.

John D. Gave Away Quarter of Billion.

New York, Jan. 27.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., told the United States commission on industrial relations, which is investigating the great philanthropic foundations and the cause of industrial unrest, he felt justified in placing the amount of money his father had devoted to philanthropy at a "quarter of a billion dollars."

Three Earth Shocks Felt at Panama

Panama, Jan. 27.—Three short, sharp earthquakes have shaken the isthmus of Panama in the last three days. None of the shocks did any damage, though the inhabitants were considerably frightened. Reports from points along the canal show that the shocks caused no ill effects.

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MAPLE LAWN NOTES.

Olive Linebaugh was the Sunday guest of Thelma Beam.

Harry Vail, William Watson and Roland Whitnack each have been the unfortunate losers of a horse the past week This makes six for Mr. Whitnack.

Bryan Richey is working for James Milbank at present.

Hermann and Ray Vail spent Saturday night and Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Swaney.

John Sloan and family have moved to Clearmont. They recently lived on the James Burch farm, north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roach are the parents of a new son, to whom they gave the name Divan.

Mrs. E. I Mood of Shambaugh, Ia., spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Swaney.

James Andrews and family and Albert Walters took Sunday dinner at the Watson home.

Mrs. Harry Vail and daughters spent Sunday afternoon at the Roach home.

James Burch took dinner Monday with his sister, Mrs. William Watson

BARNARD NEWS.

Mrs. Leroy Neff of Ridgeway is visiting relatives in Barnard this week.

Miss Winnifred Middleton of Rosendale visited the last of the week with Miss Cletta Rasco.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Shell of Clarksdale are moving to Barnard this week.

The Methodist church is holding a series of revival meetings.

Cleo Pollard is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Campbell and sons of California arrived in Barnard Sunday night, summoned by the death of Mr. Campbell's mother, Mrs. Warren Campbell

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pollard of Calhoun are visiting relatives in Barnard.

Mr. Thornton, living in the west, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Sam Hagan.

Miss Cletta Rasco spent Saturday visiting in Bolckow.

Bryce Melvine of Hopkins returned to Barnard Monday morning to resume work in the public schools.

Misses Fannie and Helen Merrill are visiting relatives in King City.

Donald Vanmeter spent the latter part of the week with his sister, Mrs. Walter Ham.

Mrs. Joseph Holiday attended the funeral of John Middleton of Maryville Sunday

The pupils of the Barnard high school are preparing to present a play, "Sophomore," some time near the first of February.

Mrs. Roy Wilson and daughter, Florine, visited last week in Bolckow with Mrs. Wilson's mother, Mrs. Pittsenberger.

To Visit in Chicago.

Mrs. Susan Walker will leave the last of the week for Chicago to make an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Severin L. Glass.

Fresh Cut Roses

Carnations, Narcissus, Violets, Lily of the Valley, Hyacinths, Sweet Peas, Lilies, etc. Quality at reasonable prices is one of our best advertisements.

The Engelmann Greenhouses

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DEMOCRAT-FORUM WANT ADS

For Results. For Results.

Classified ads running three days or more, one-half cent per word for each insertion minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—Residence and 1 acre of ground, well improved, water and lights, on Prather avenue. See H. P. Childress, 321 W Seventh street. 26-28

FOR RENT—House on South Mulberry, known as Thorp property, modern except heat. Inquire T. L. Wilderman. 25-30

FOR RENT—4 unfurnished rooms, light and water. Mrs. Lafe Dawson, 216 West Second. 26-28

FOR RENT—7-room house, all modern except furnace, close in. Inquire at 314 West Seventh. 27-29

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Kindling wood. Route 3; phone 4X. Frank Martin. 5-2

FOR SALE—S. C. Buff Orpington and Rhode Island Red cockerels. Mrs. Charles Tabler, Farmers phone 6-11. 25-27

WOOD FOR SALE—All dry ash, hickory and oak, $3.00 and $4.00 for full guaranteed cord. Other wood $1.00 load. Will deliver. Native lumber for sale. Saunders Bros., Hanamo phone 3698. 14-tf

FOR SALE—Residence lots, south and east front. Farmers phone 45-0-11. 26-tf

FOR SALE—Car of Swift's digester tankage. At Burlington tracks. Prices right. See us before you buy. Childress & Co. 2-tf

FOR SALE—Lumber and cheap wood. Saunders Bros. 11-tf

FOR SALE—200 acres of land, 9 miles southwest of Maryville and 6 miles northeast of Skidmore, on main road. Fair improvements. Must be sold by Feb. 1. Price, $19,000. Henry Rowlett, Skidmore, Mo. 18-28

Miscellaneous.

FEED ALFALMO to your stock. We have a fresh car. $24 a ton, $1.25 cwt. Yowell & Son. 26-28

FOR TRADE—66x132 lot on paved street for good milk cow. See A. S. Robey. 27-29

MRS. MARY GREGORY has moved her dressmaking rooms from 319 West Second street to 610 East Fourth. Telephone 3290. 27-29

MULES—We have a few span of heavy bone, well matched 3-year-old mules to sell. Can give time on purchase price if desired. G. W. Lucas. 6-tf

WANTED—Men to learn the barber trade. Positively the best trade of the kind. Can prepare you in short term. Wages while learning. Open to everyone. Apply by mail. Mohler Barber College, Kansas City, Mo. 23-29

SANITARY ENGINEERING requires experienced mechanics and good materials. Our appliances and "knowing how" insures satisfaction. Standard Plumbing Co.

Mrs. A. C. Holt of Carpenter, Wyo., is visiting in the city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kemp.

CHARLES E. STILWELL,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.
Office over Farmers Trust Company, Maryville, Mo.

KARL R. MALOTTE,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
Office over Thomas Parle's drug store,
MARYVILLE, MO.
Both Phones.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following warranty deeds were filed in the ofifce of recorder of deeds for week ending January 23:

William J. Skidmore to David White, dated Jan. 19, 1915, covering Lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, block 2, in tenth addition to Skidmore. $400.

John M. Busby to Timothy G. Butts, et al, dated Jan. 16, 1915, covering N½ SW and SE NW sec 22, twp 62, rng 33, for $7,000.

J. A. L. Gram to Louis Gram, dated Jan. 23, 1915, covering lot 1, block 5, Charles' addition to Maryville, for $100.

Gladys M. Short to Cora E. Hagey et al., dated Jan. 4, 1915, covering undivided 7-48 interest in N ½ SW and SW NE sec 26, twp 65, rng 38, for $1,662.50.

Ethel Booher et al. to Exema Munger et al., dated Sept. 28, 1914, covering undivided 20-48 interest in SW NE and E ½ SW sec 26, twp 65, rng 38, for $4,000.

Henrietta G. Parkinson to Ulysses S. G. Ingram, dated Sept. 22, 1914, covering NE SW sec 6, twp 66, rng 35, for $2,240.

William Clark to William B. Taylor, dated May 28, 1912, covering part NW NE sec 11, twp 62, rng 38, for $1.

Charles F. Moffitt to Sam Conlin, Jr., dated Jan. 14, 1915, covering 1-5 interest in N ½ NW and part NW SE and part SE NW sec 10, twp 62, rng 35, for $1,575

Walter A. Ham to A. Lloyd Strader, dated Jan. 13, 1915, covering S ½ lots 1, 2 and 3, block 23, Barnard, for $850.

James H. McClanahan et al. to Nellie R. Hailey, dated Jan. 16, 1915, covering S ½ SW SE and W ½ NW SW SE and part NW SE sec 2, twp 62, rng 34, for $1,820.

Alma Hailey at Jas. H. McClanahan et al., dated Jan. 16, 1915, covering lots 5 and 6, block 5, Guilford, for $1,250.

City of Maryville to Perry Chappell, dated Jan. 12, 1915, covering S ¼ lot 4, block 19, First addition to Miriam cemetery, for $6.25.

Charles H. Bonar to Al Kysar, dated March 6, 1912, covering part W ½ SW NW sec 1 and S ½ NE SE NE sec 2, twp 66, rng 35, for $1,350.

Is Missouri's Bookkeeper.

William L. Nelson of the State Board of Agriculture is "Missouri's crop bookkeeper." For six years he has handled the crop reports which are recognized at Washington as among the best of any state having no statistical law.

As Missouri has no agricultural statistical law, it is impossible to secure absolute acreages and minor crop data. Kansas, Colorado, Iowa and several other states have practical laws on gathering agricultural facts by township assessors that have proven of immeasurable worth to the farming interests and have drawn investors into those states. In this special regard Mr. Nelson regretfully admits that Missouri is behind her neighbors.

Returns to St. Joseph

Miss Marie Perkins of St. Joseph, who has been visiting at the home of her uncle, John Behm, and family, of West Fourth street, has returned to her home.

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4% ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

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WAR AND EASTERN
Horses and Mares WANTED

Want horses 4 to 10 years old with fair flesh. Will buy them from a good chunk to as good as grows. Want some good extra heavy teams. No leggy or light boned horses wanted.

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